



glance

WAIT,  
WHERE AM I?

glance



...



I GOT  
LOST  
AGAIN.

ding ding



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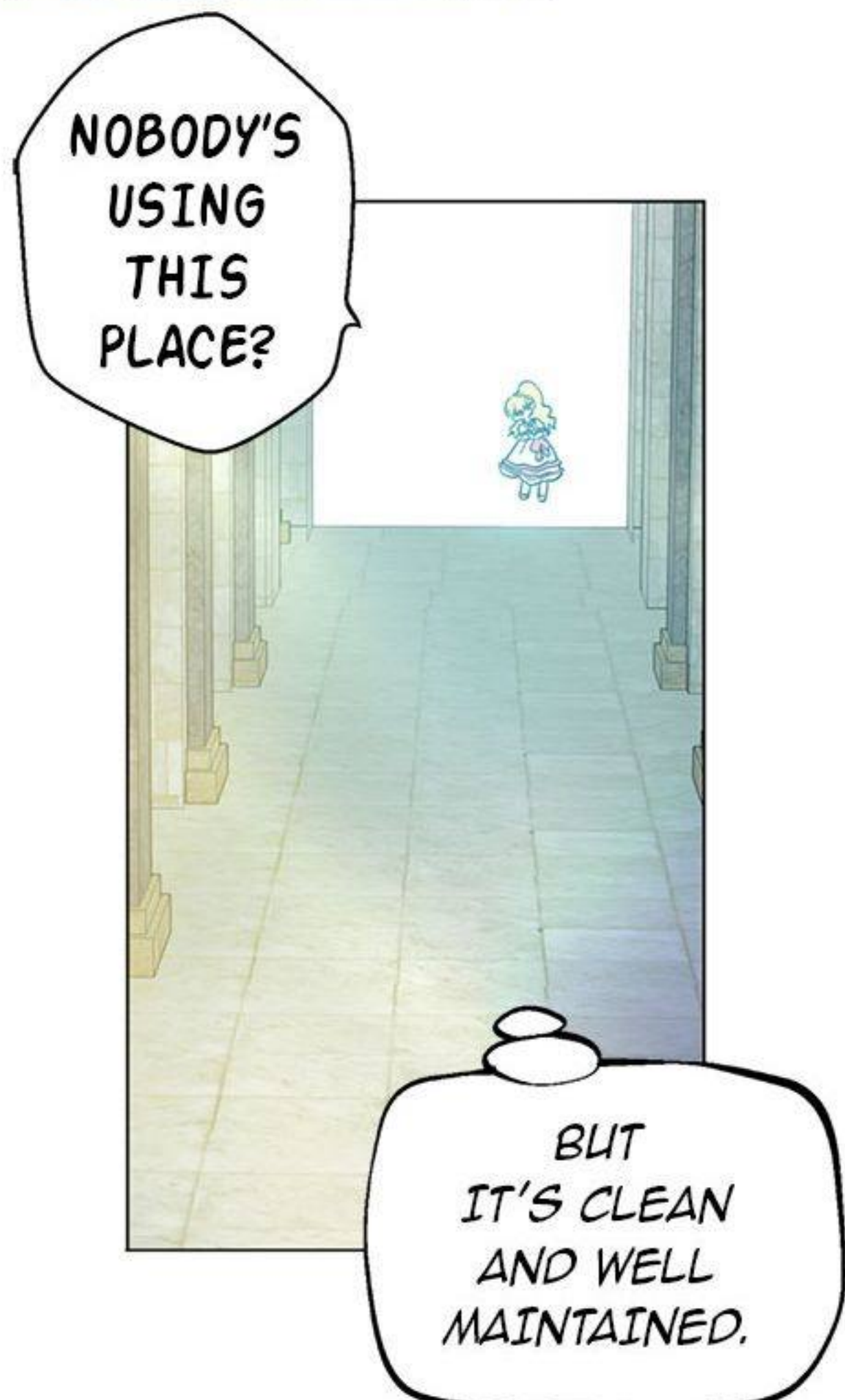
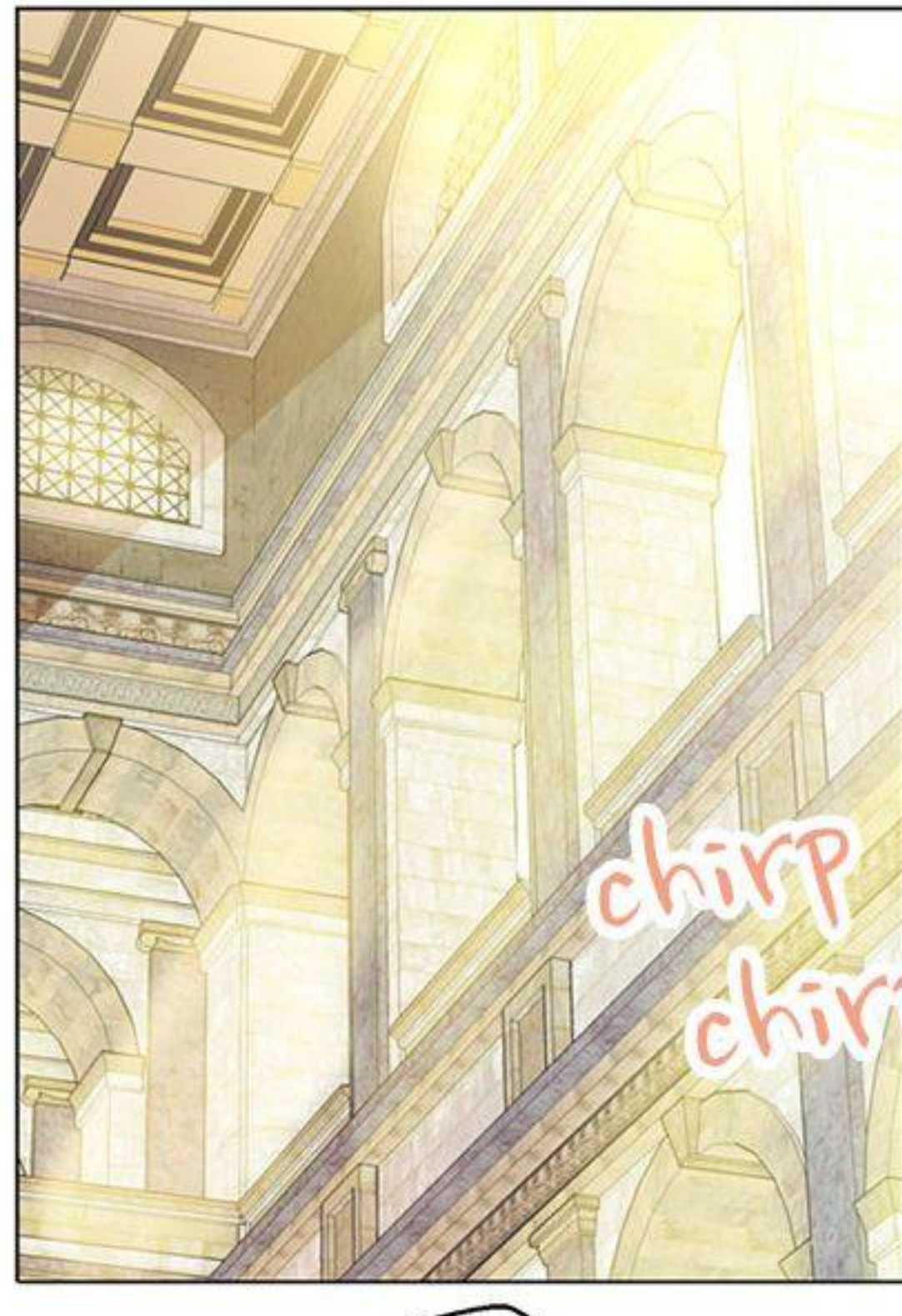
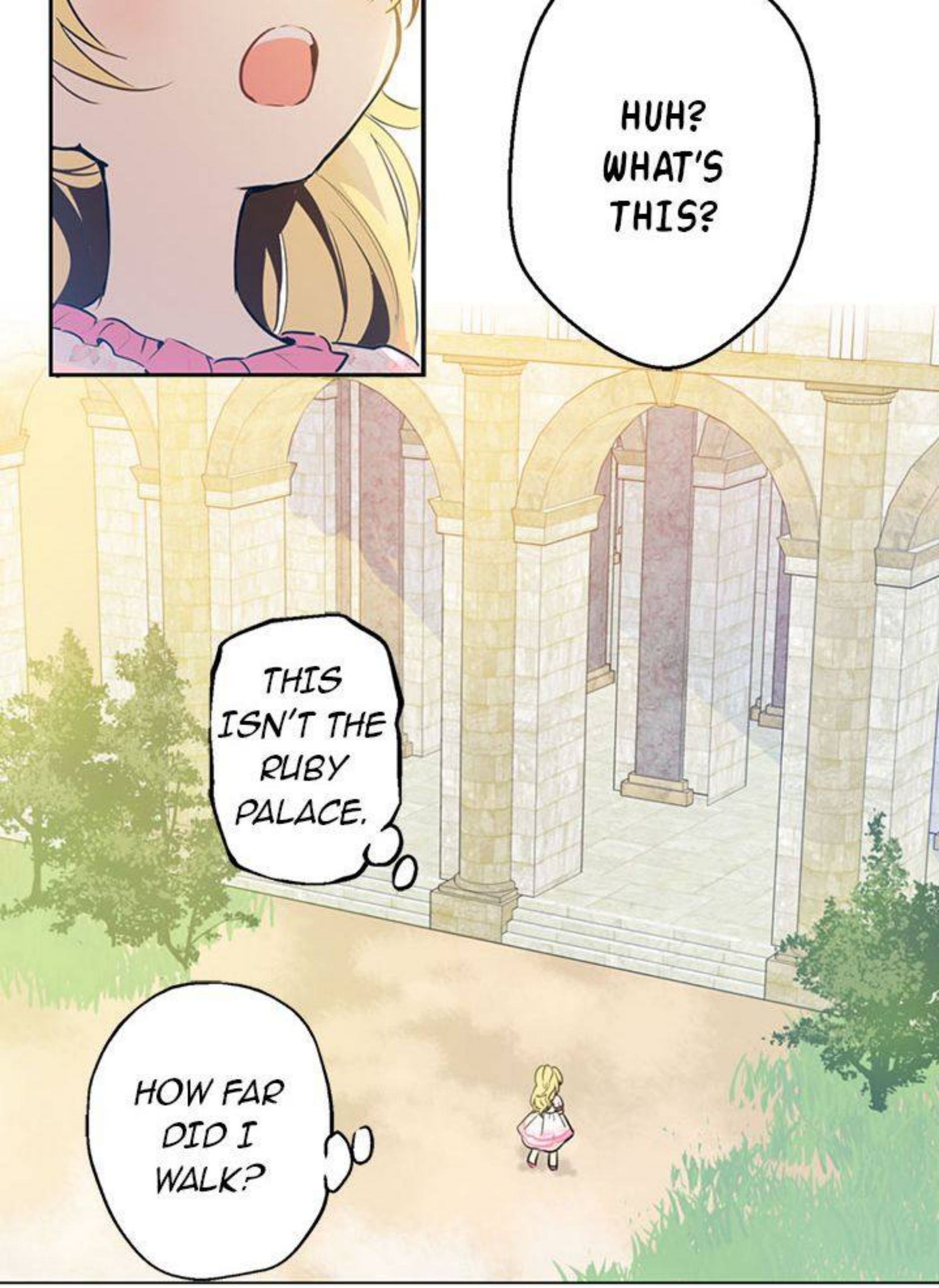


step step

IT'S  
THERE!









!twinkle

OOH?

IF NO ONE'S  
HERE I SUPPOSE  
I COULD USE IT?

I WAS WONDERING  
WHERE I COULD  
HIDE THE RICHES  
FOR MY FUTURE  
ESCAPE.

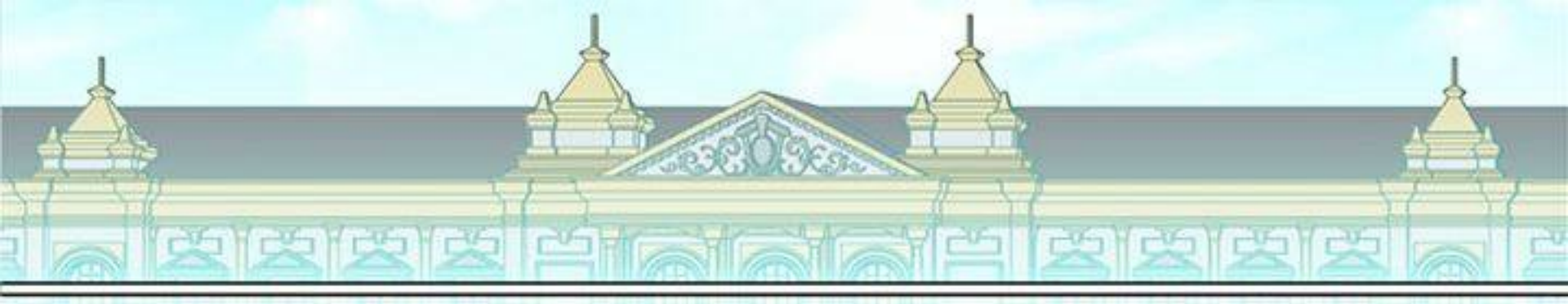
CAN'T HIDE TOO  
MANY IN THE  
RUBY PALACE.

THIS IS  
DESTINY!

AS LONG  
AS I'M  
CAREFUL  
WHEN THEY  
CLEAN...

I CHOOSE THIS  
AS MY SECRET  
HIDING PLACE!





# Who Made Me a Princess

Comic **Spoon**  
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I WAS WONDERING,  
WHAT HAPPENED TO  
MY PREVIOUS BODY?



DID I OVERDOSE  
ON SLEEPING  
PILLS AND DIE?

MAYBE I FROZE TO  
DEATH? IT WAS THE  
MIDDLE OF WINTER  
AND I DIDN'T PUT  
THE HEATER ON.



I WAS AN ORPHAN  
SO IT'S NOT LIKE  
I LEFT ANYTHING  
BEHIND.

I NEVER  
WANT TO  
GO BACK...

IGNORING THE PART  
WHERE SHE DIES,

ATHANASIA'S LIFE IS  
LIKE HEAVEN ON EARTH.  
THERE'S FOOD, NO  
NEED TO EARN MONEY,  
AND SHE OWNS(?)  
REAL ESTATE.





AND MAYBE IT'S  
BECAUSE I WAS  
REBORN,

LI-

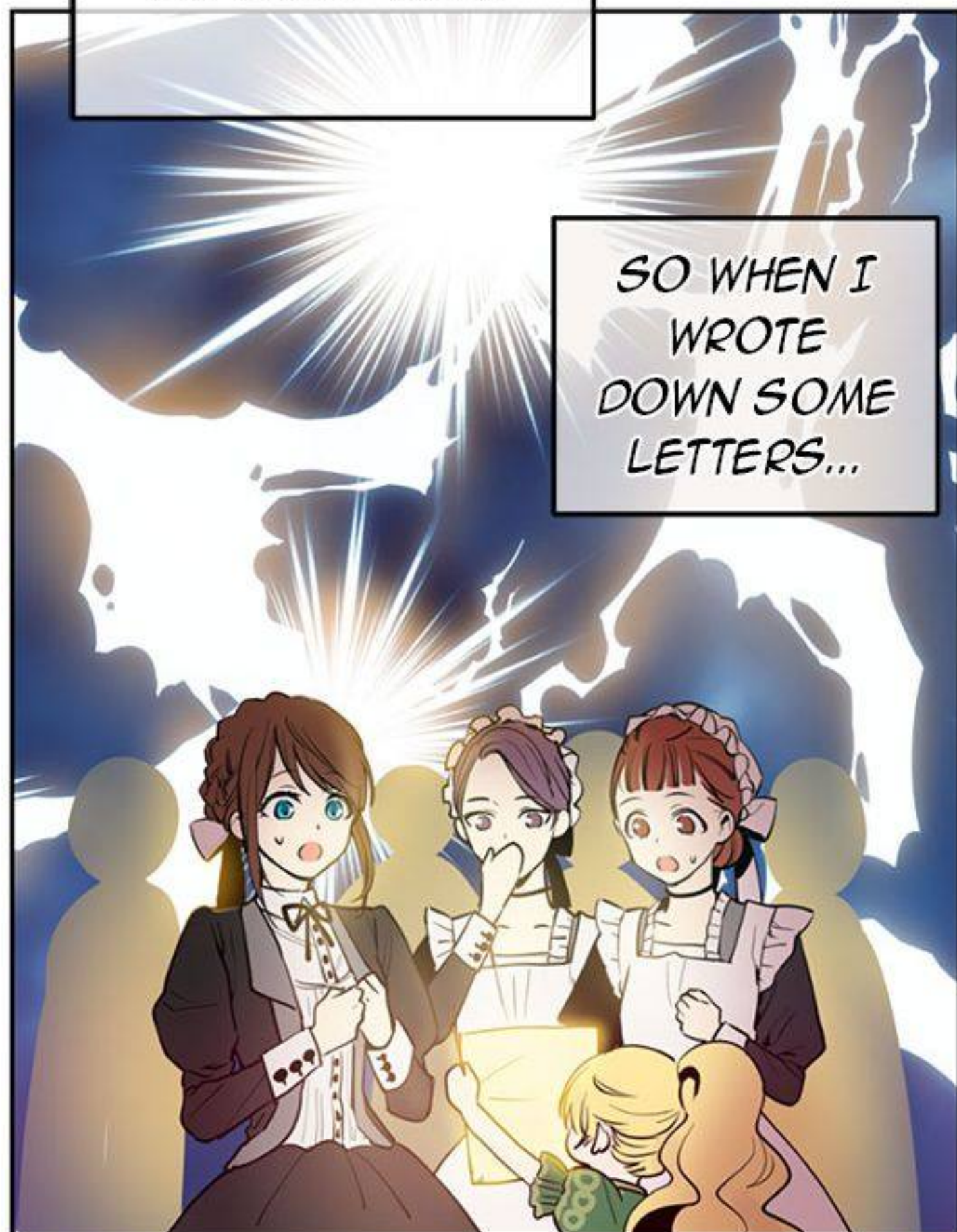
BUT LEARNING THE  
LANGUAGE WASN'T  
DIFFICULT EITHER.

LY!



THIS WORLD  
DOESN'T SEEM TO  
TEACH READING  
AND WRITING AT  
AN EARLY AGE.

SO WHEN I  
WROTE  
DOWN SOME  
LETTERS...



OUR PRINCESS IS AN  
INTELLECTUAL!

I WAS TRYING TO  
LIVE LIFE WITHOUT  
A SPOTLIGHT...

I SCREWED  
UP...



AND THIS CAME  
FORTH MY EARLY  
EDUCATION.



I'M SO  
HAPPY TO  
BE BY YOUR

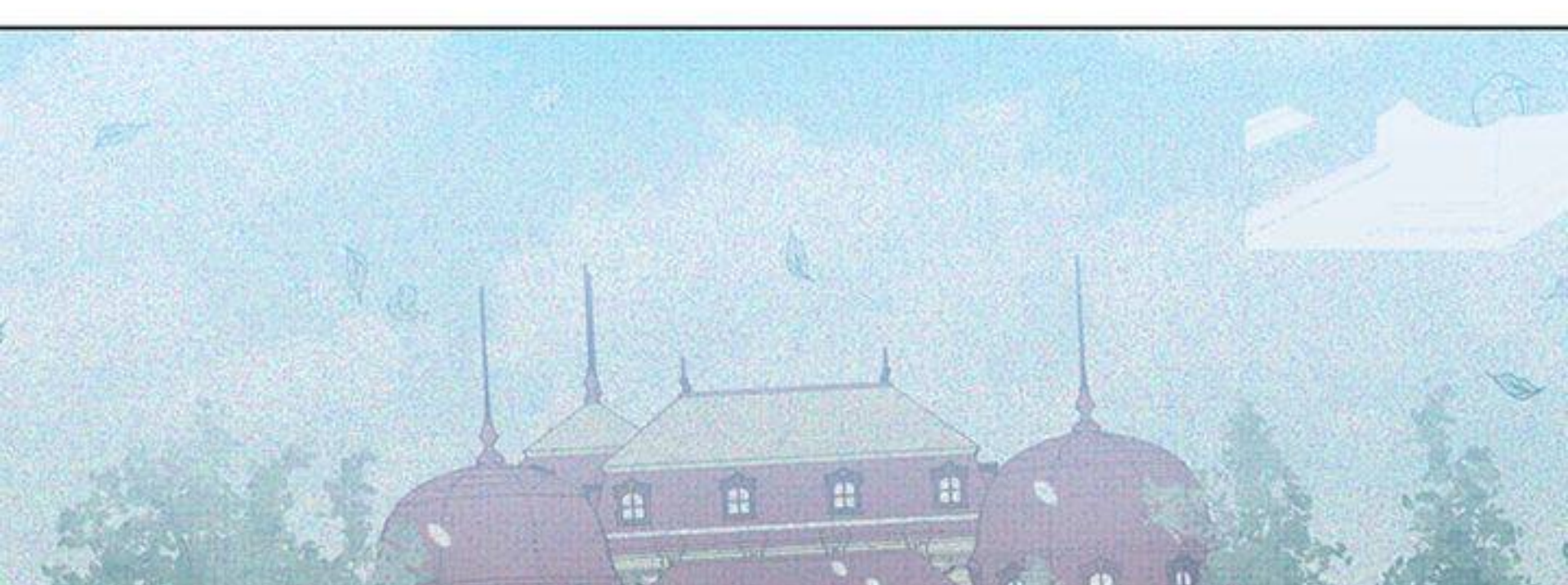


SIDE,  
PRINCESS.

ATHY LIKES  
BEING WITH  
LILY, TOO!



THERE WASN'T TOO MUCH  
DAMAGE DONE. THE RUBY  
PALACE IS ISOLATED FROM  
THE OUTSIDE WORLD.



STORIES ABOUT  
ME WON'T LEAK  
THAT EASILY.

I WON'T EVEN SEE CLAUDE  
IN THE EMPEROR'S GARDEN  
ON MY 9TH BIRTHDAY!

AND I'M GOING TO RUN  
OFF WITH THE GOODS  
BEFORE I TURN 18! I  
CAN'T HAVE TOO MANY  
EYES ON ME.

I HAVE TO DEFY  
THAT DIRTBAG  
CLAUDE NO  
MATTER WHAT.

I'M NOT TAKING  
A SINGLE STEP  
TOWARDS ANY-  
THING GRAND  
OR FANCY IN  
THIS PLACE.

shiver



PRINCESS,  
WOULD YOU  
LIKE A GLASS  
OF MILK?

YEAH! BUT  
I DON'T  
WANT IT  
COLD!

SURE, I'LL  
HEAT IT UP  
FOR YOU.

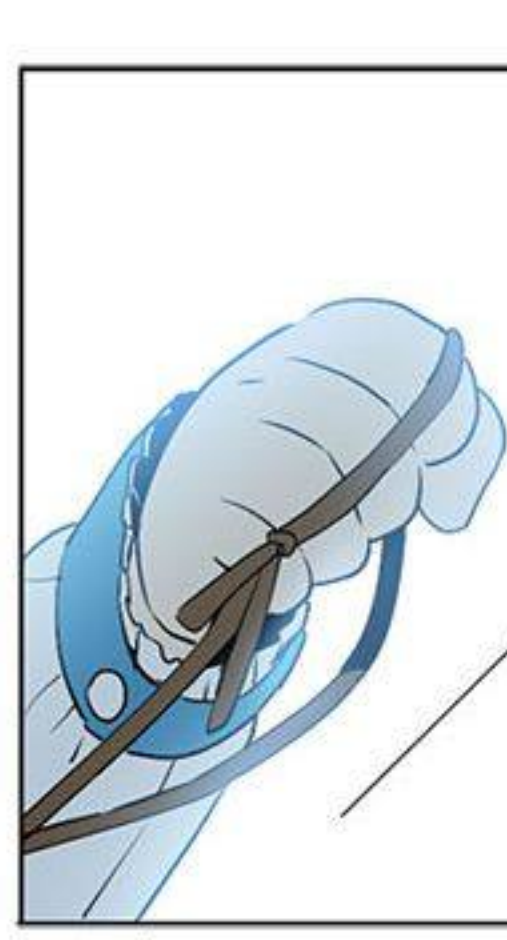


clack





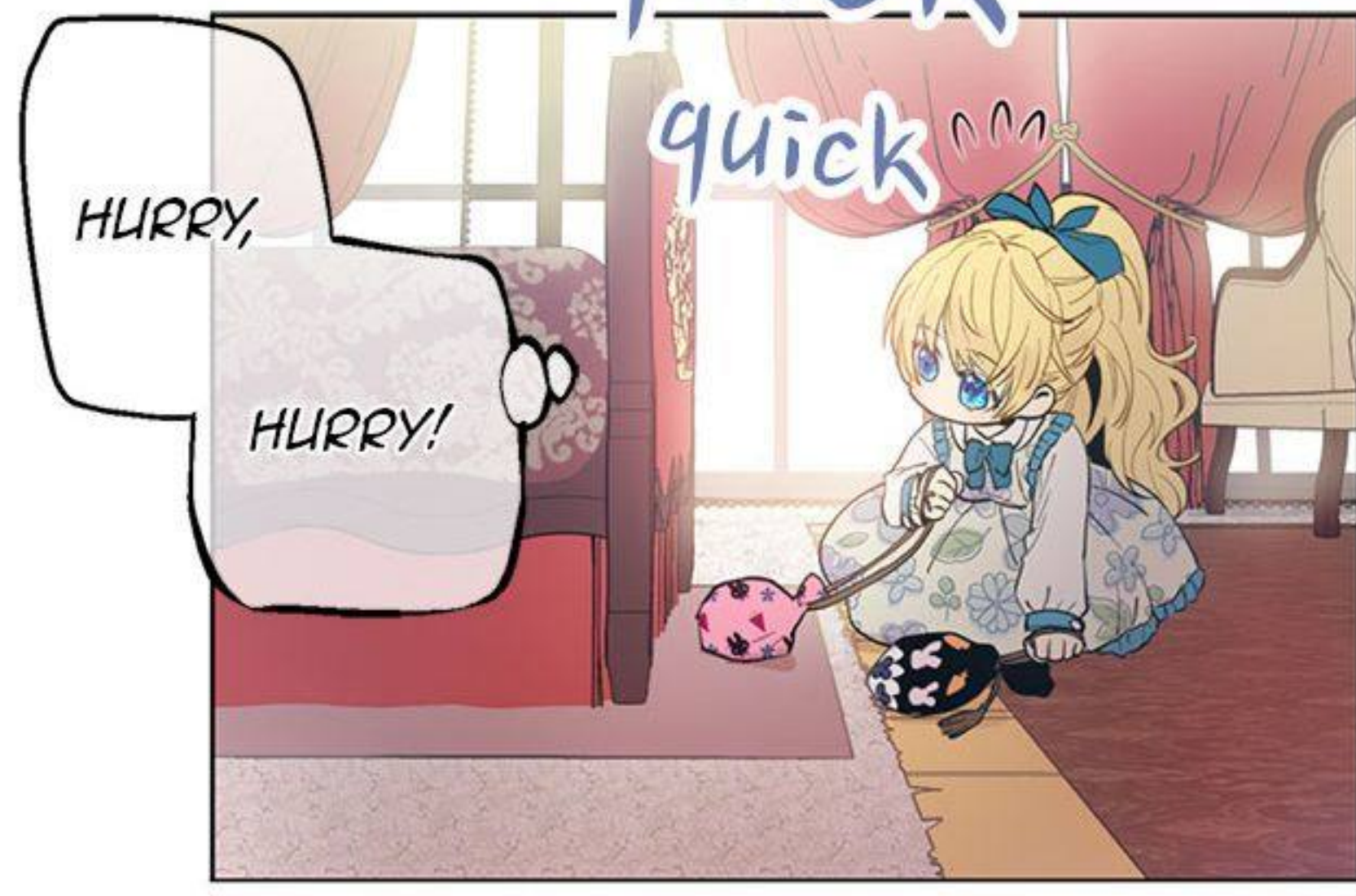
# RISE



pull

quick

quick



struggle

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I'VE BEEN HIDING THESE PRETTIES.

I WAS GOING TO STASH THEM IN THE RUBY PALACE FOR A WHILE...

WE SHOULD CLEAN THE WHOLE PLACE SOON.





DONE!

IT'S HEAVY...  
BUT I HAVE  
NO CHOICE.

I'LL GO BACK  
AND FORTH A  
FEW TIMES  
LIKE THIS.

SWEET  
DREAMS,  
PRINCESS.

KISS

clack

...

silence

OW, OWWIE. IT  
REALLY HURTS  
KEEPING THEM  
TIED THERE.

numb

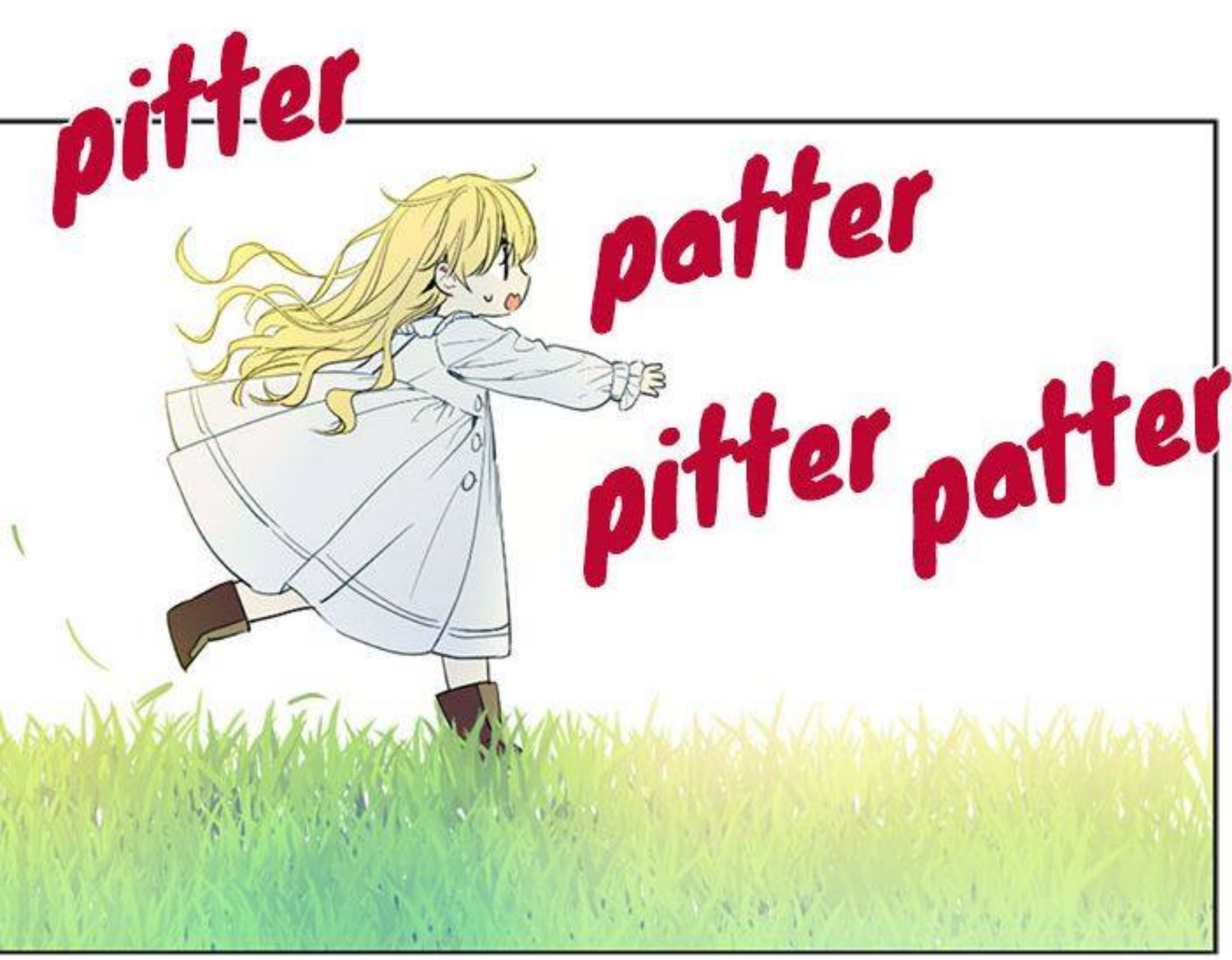
sneak  
sneak

DASH





ALRIGHTY,  
I GOT OUT  
WITHOUT ANYONE  
NOTICING!



IT MIGHT CAUSE  
TROUBLE IF I HIDE  
IT INSIDE THE  
BUILDING...



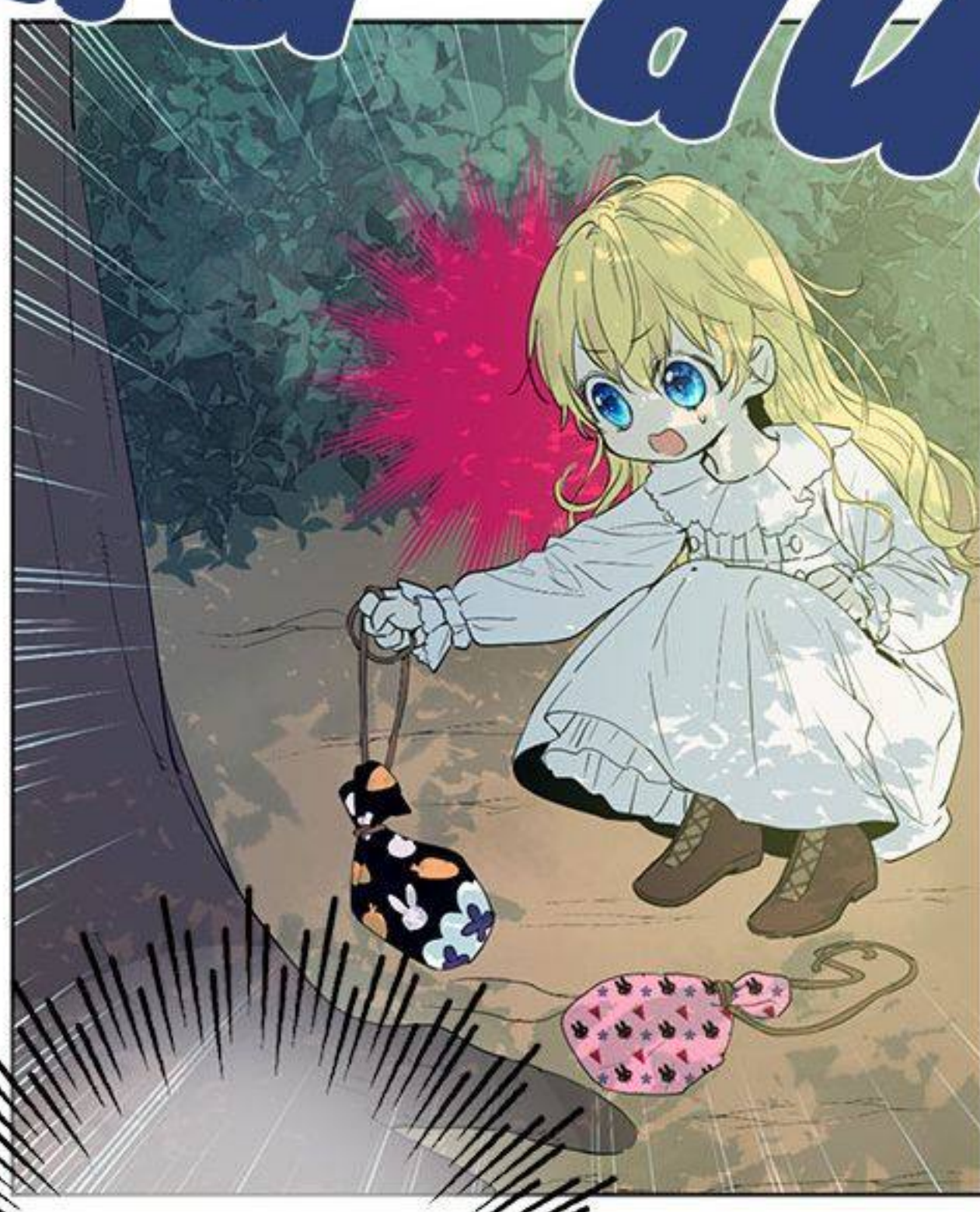




huh?

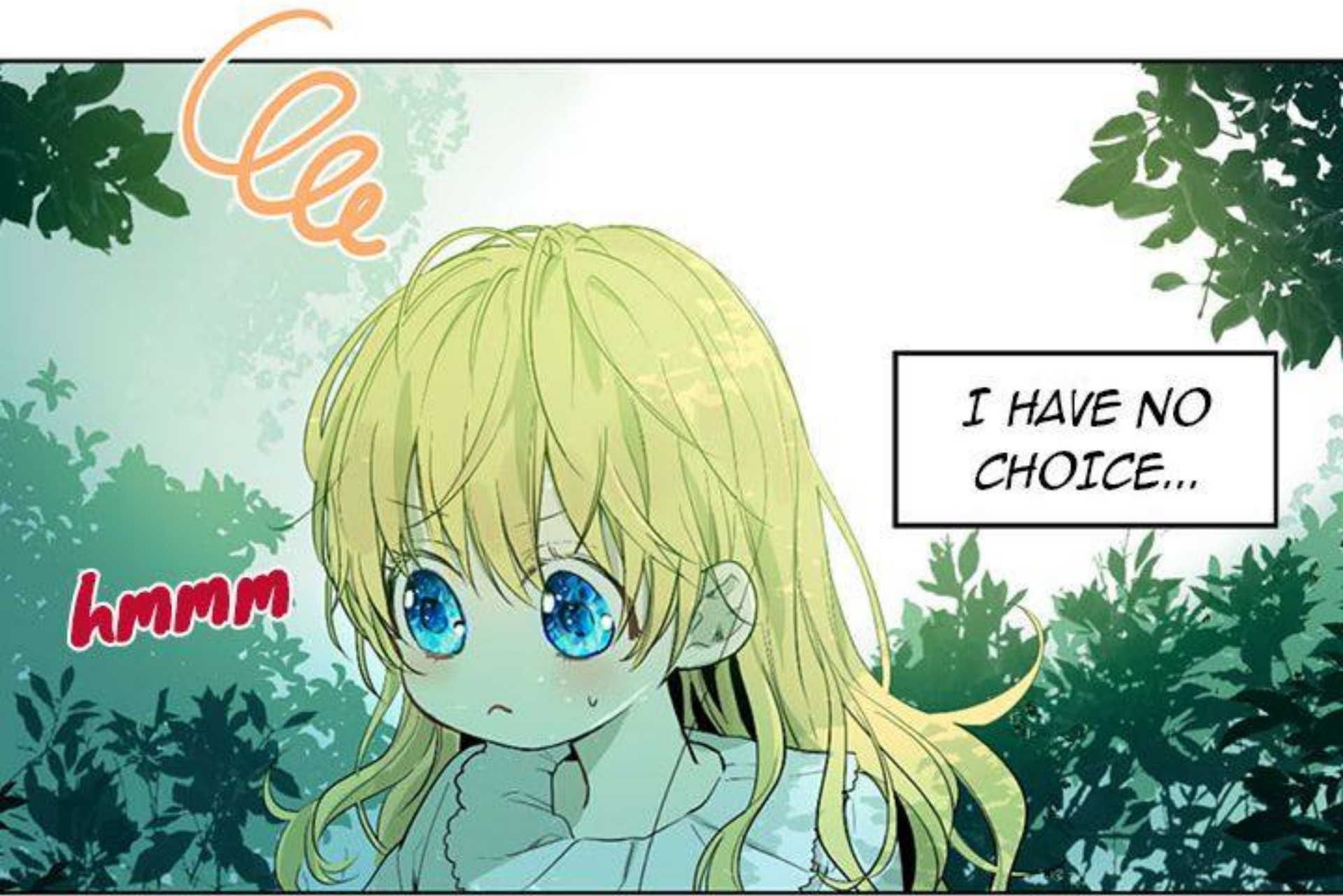


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I DON'T HAVE  
ANYTHING TO  
DIG WITH!

IF I GET CAUGHT  
WITH DIRTY HANDS,  
LILY WILL FIND OUT.



I HAVE NO  
CHOICE...

I'LL KEEP THESE  
HIDDEN AND COME  
BACK TOMORROW  
TO BURY THEM.

I COULD  
ASK HANNAH  
FOR A TOY  
SHOVEL.

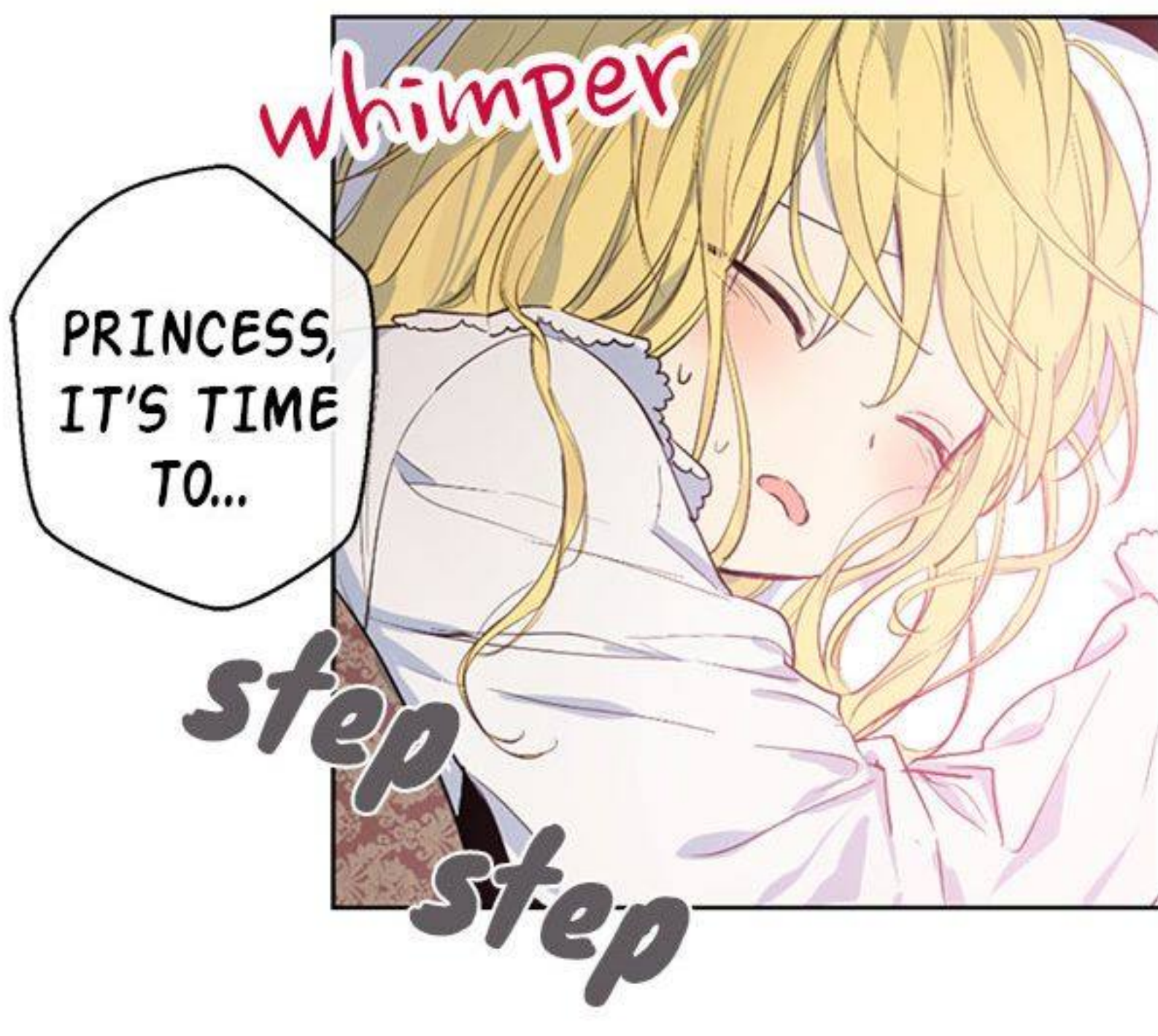
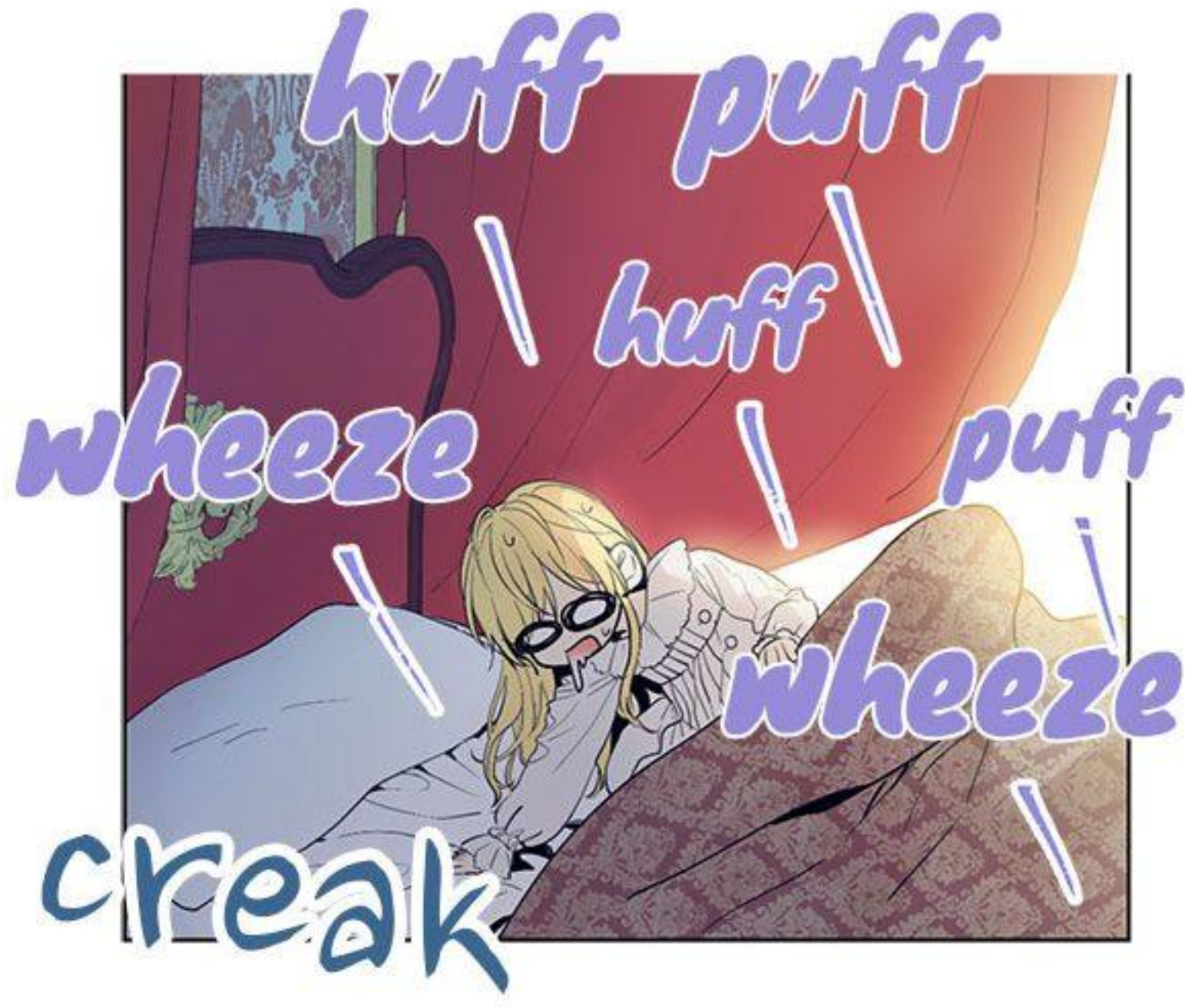


wahhh

RUNNING AT FULL  
SPEED AGAIN.











YOU'RE  
RIGHT... IS  
IT ALREADY  
SUMMER?

I'LL PUT THE  
CURTAINS UP  
TOMORROW.

ATHY WILL  
DRINK MILK.  
COLD MILK  
PLEASE.

BUT YOU  
DRANK SOME  
BEFORE NAP  
TIME.



AND AFTER  
THAT I RAN  
OUT OF THE  
RUBY PALACE  
A FEW MORE  
TIMES.

ONCE EVERY  
FEW DAYS SO  
I DIDN'T  
GET CAUGHT.

TO BE HONEST...  
I'M SO HAPPY  
WITH HOW I'M  
LIVING RIGHT  
NOW. I WANT TO  
STAY LIKE THIS  
FOREVER. BUT...

*nervous*



WITHIN THESE  
WALLS LIVES A  
TICKING TIME BOMB  
NAMED CLAUDE.





SO THESE  
PRETTY  
THINGS...

...ARE MY  
BACK UP,  
SO TO SAY.

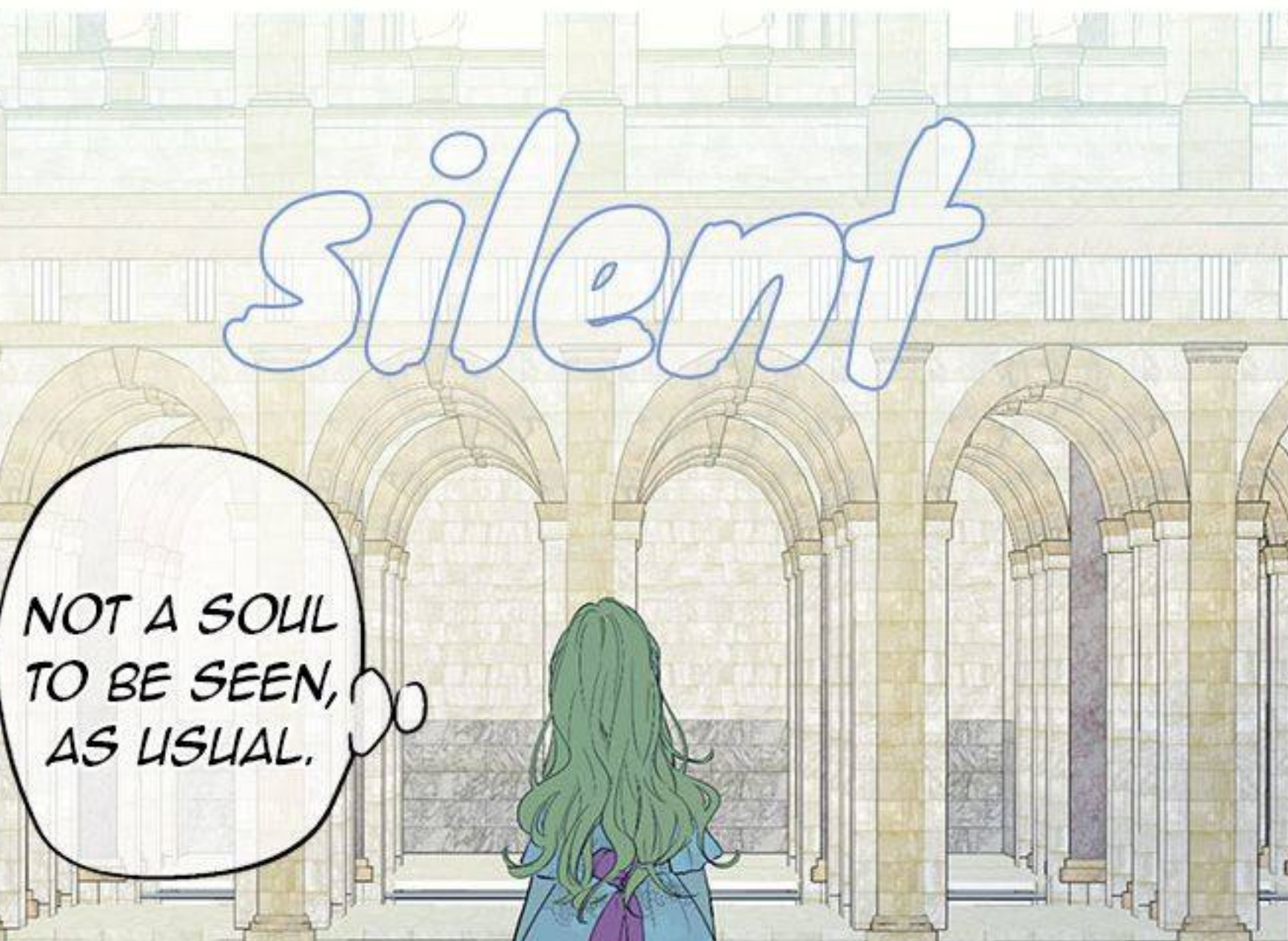


BACK UP FOR  
THAT DREADED  
DAY.



*silent*

NOT A SOUL  
TO BE SEEN,  
AS USUAL.



I WON'T  
HEAD THAT  
WAY TODAY...





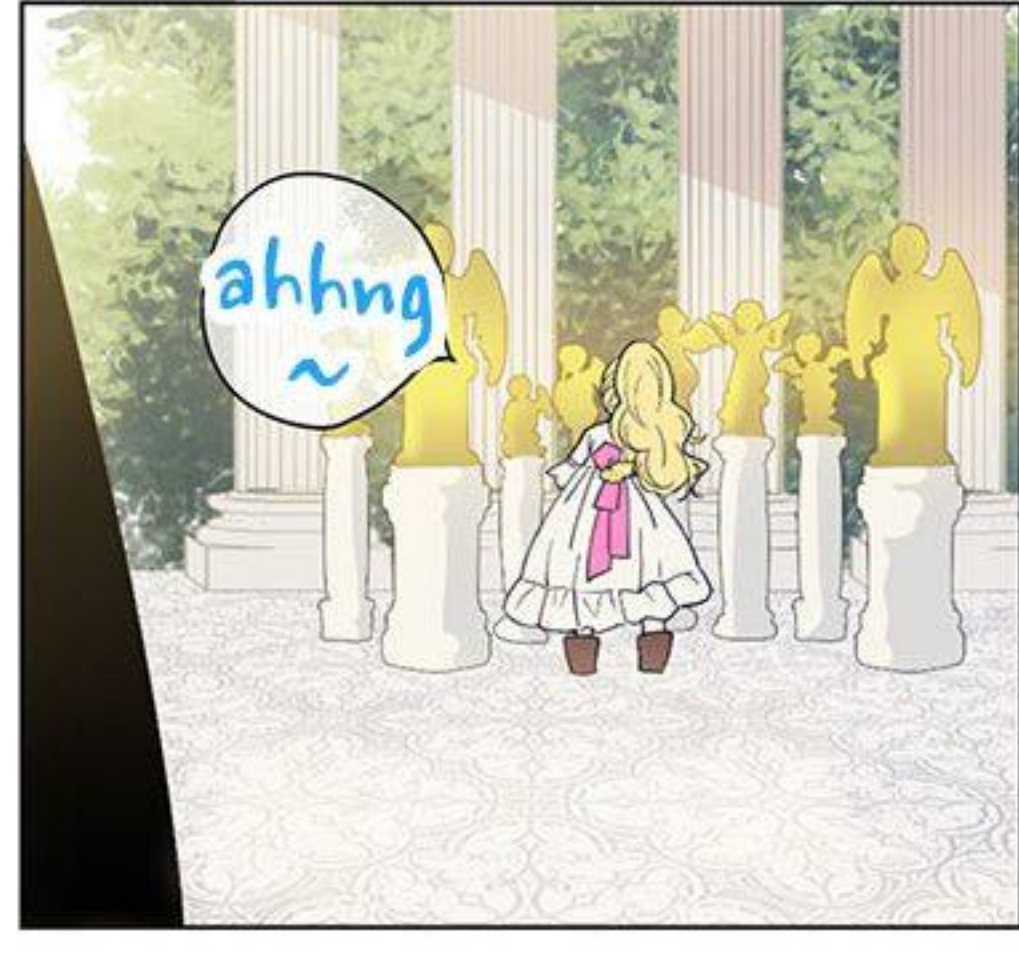
Wow



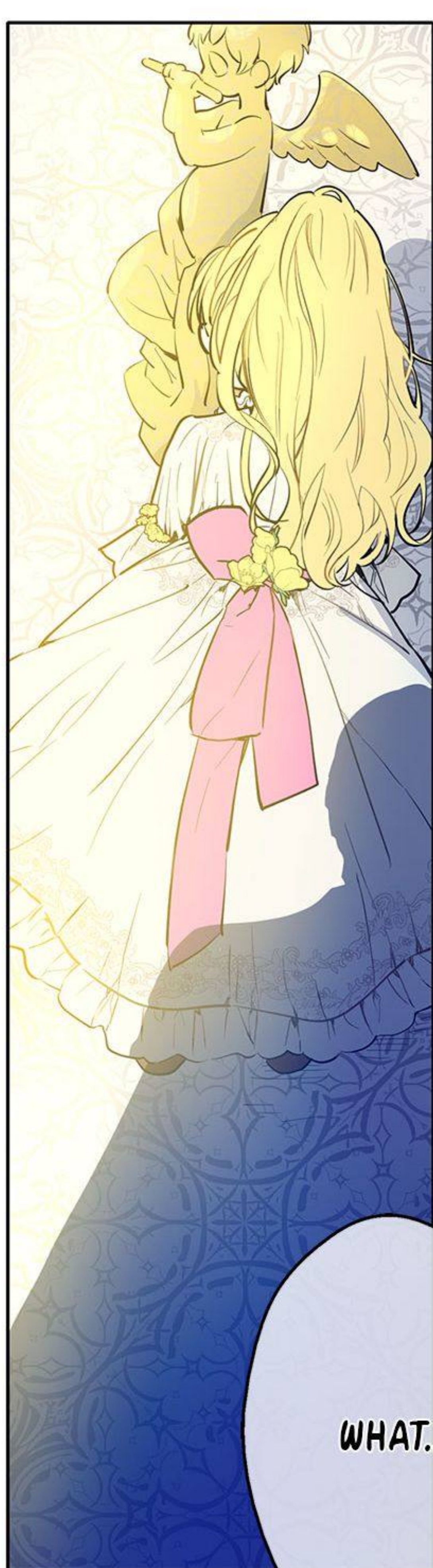
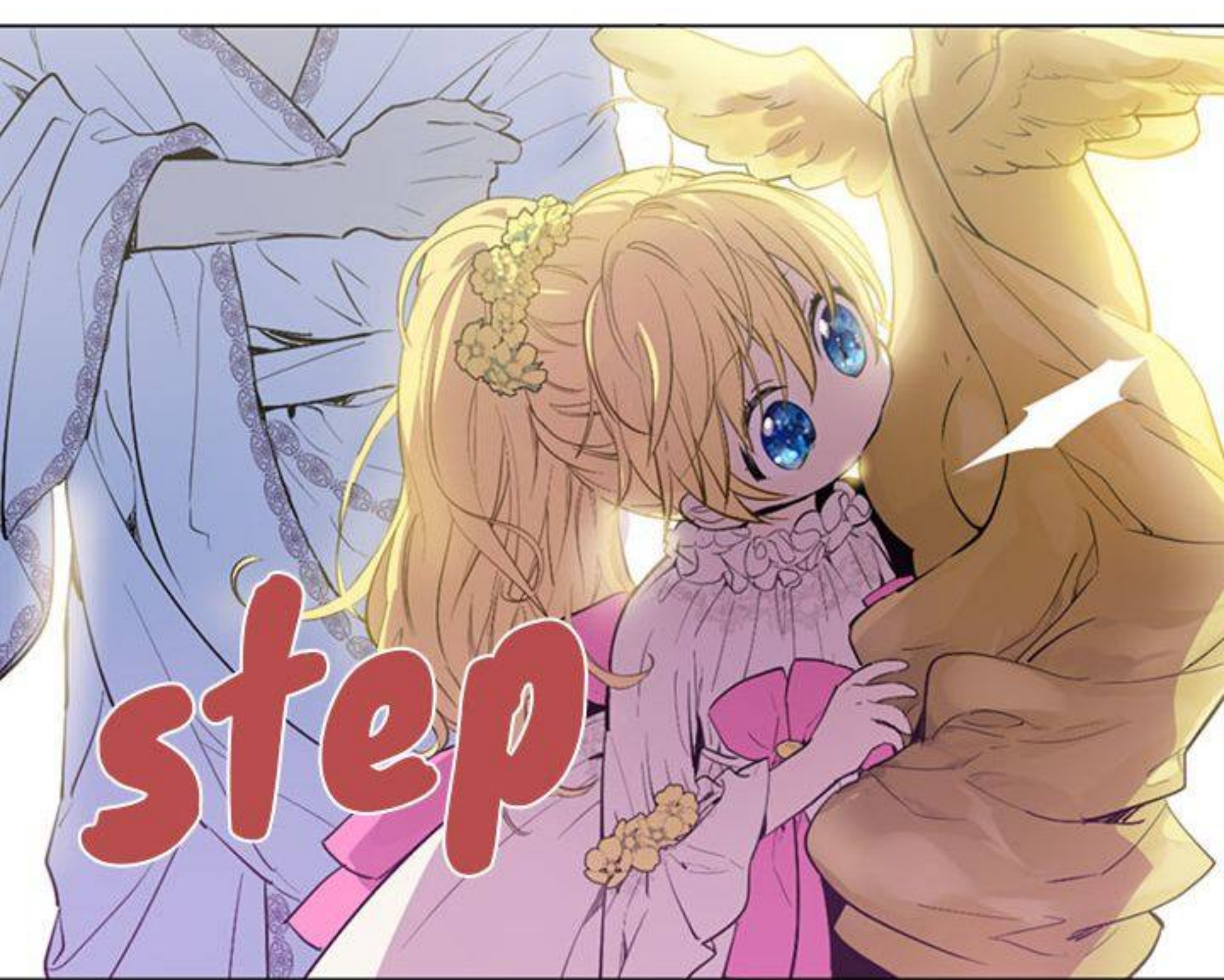
IT'S REAL GOLD!  
THAT'S AMAZING!



THIS IS REAL  
GOLD, RIGHT?











# FLINCH

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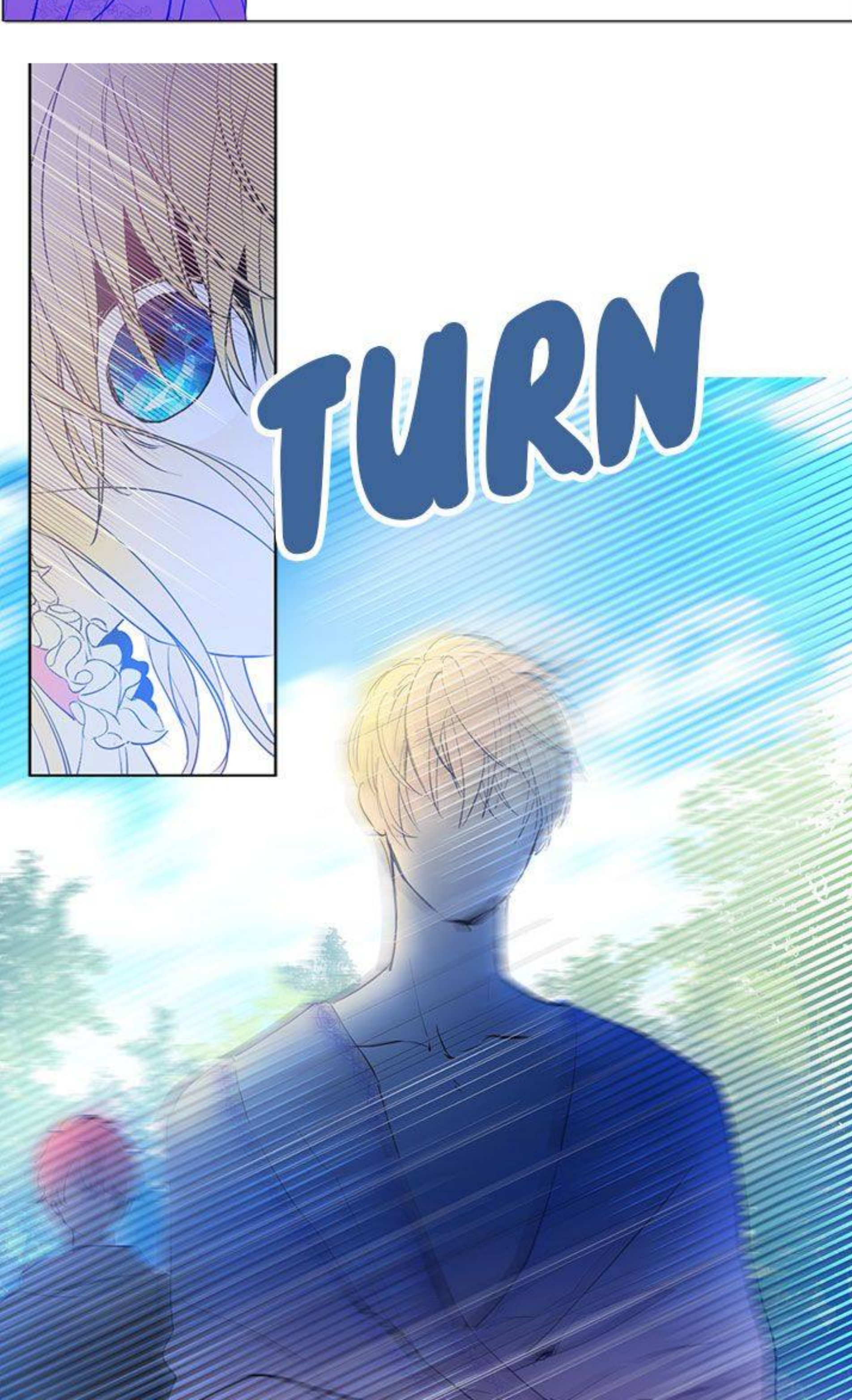
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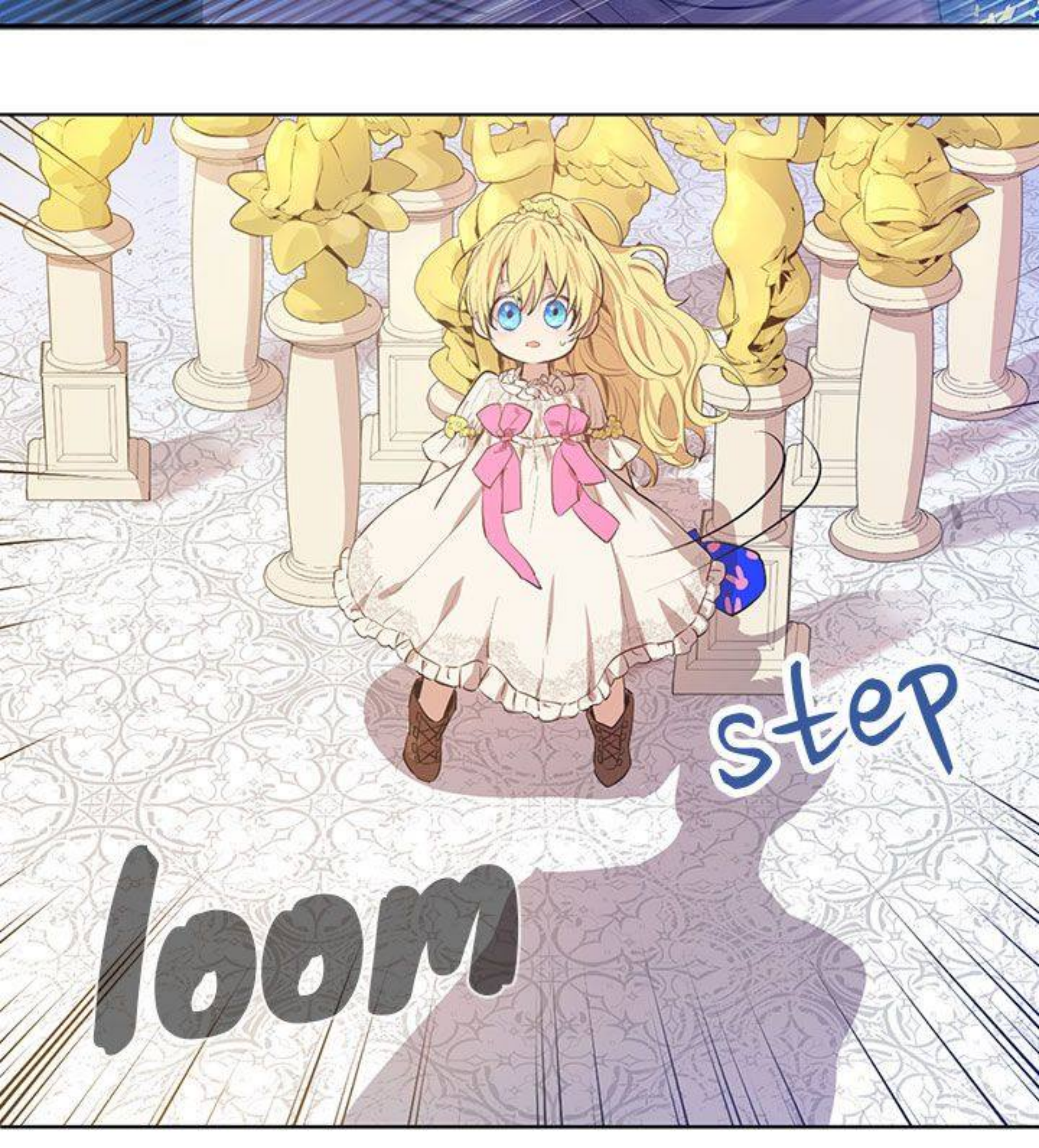
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WHAT IS THIS  
FILTHY BUG DOING  
IN MY PALACE?

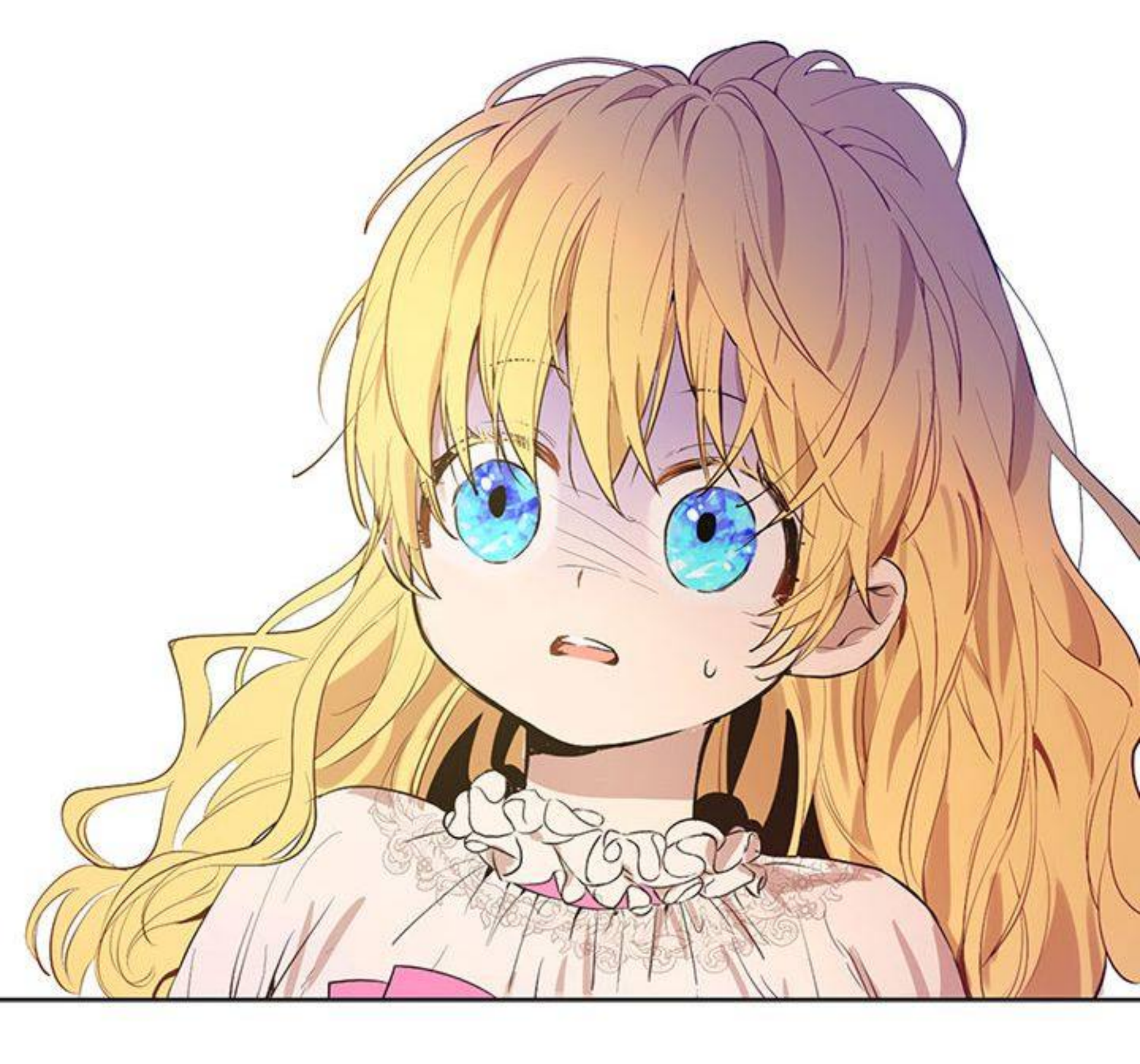
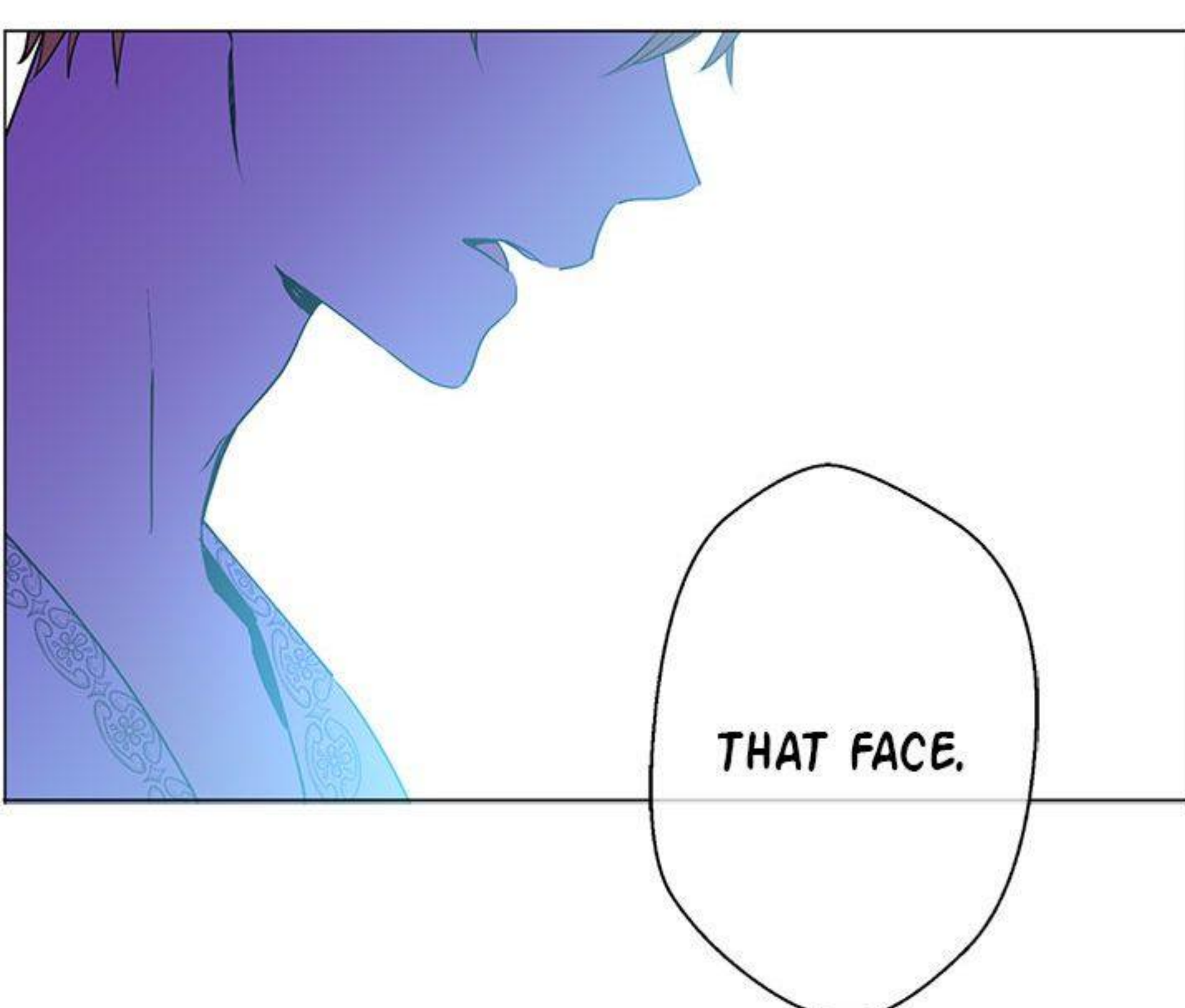
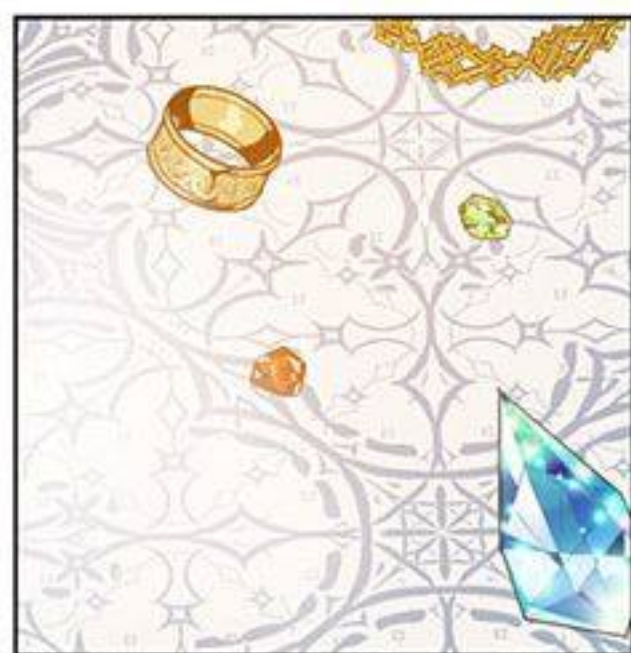
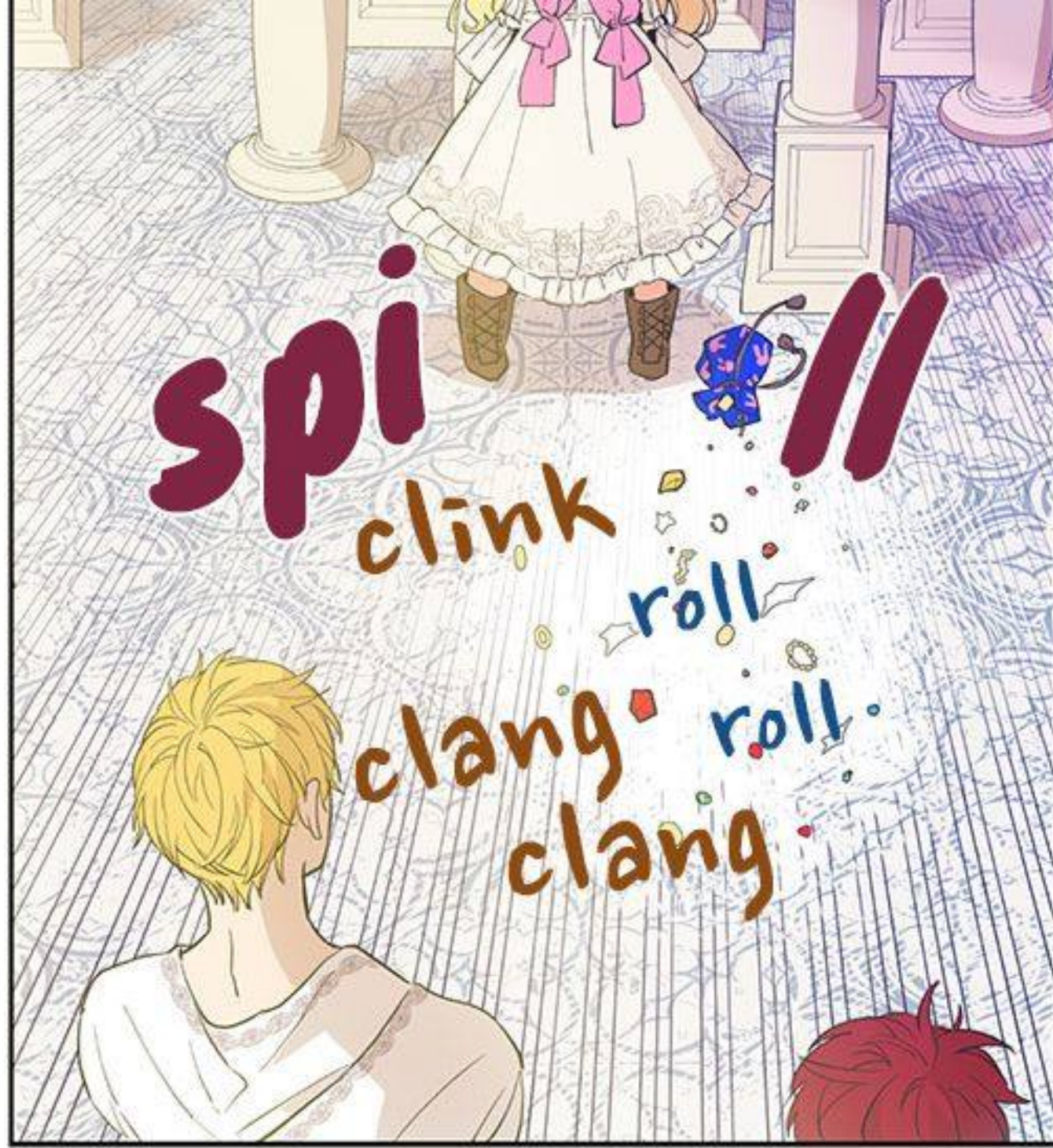
FLINCH



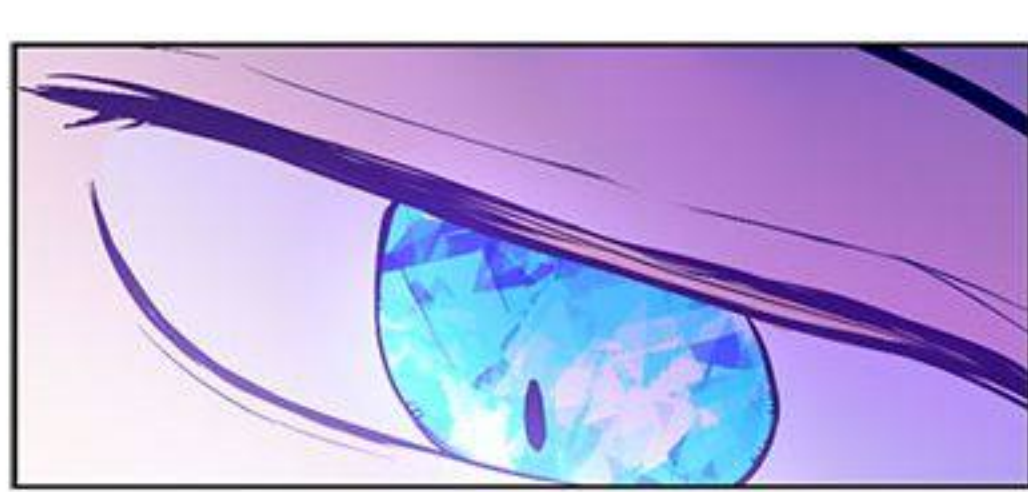
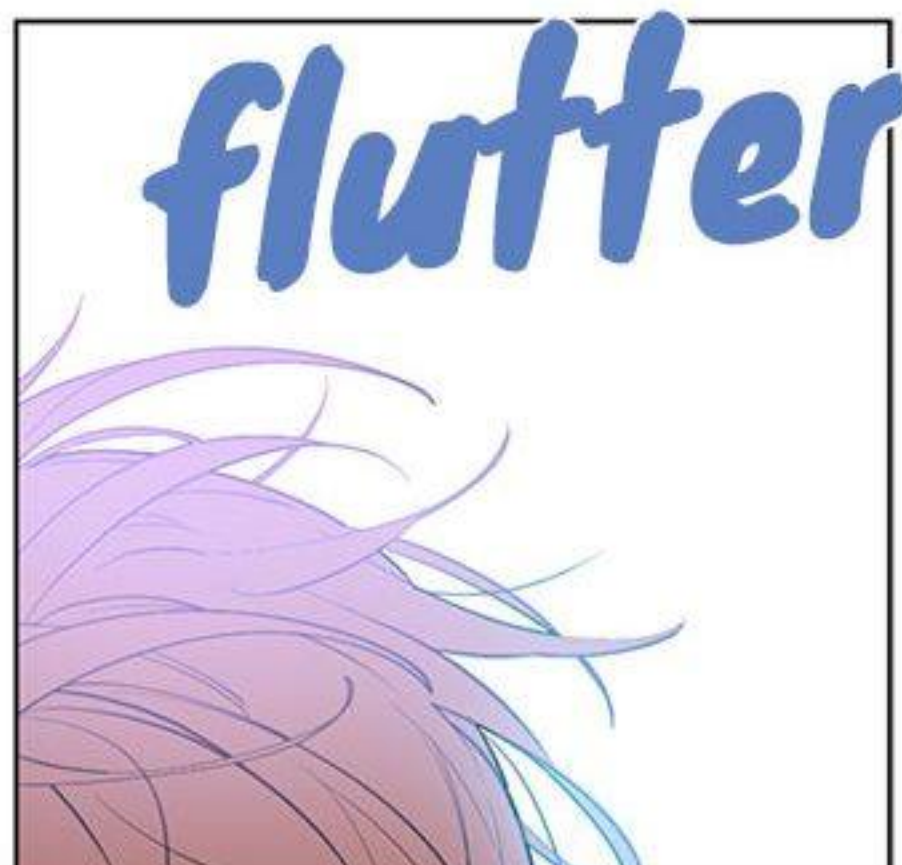












THE SAME JEWELLED EYES AS ME...

whoosh

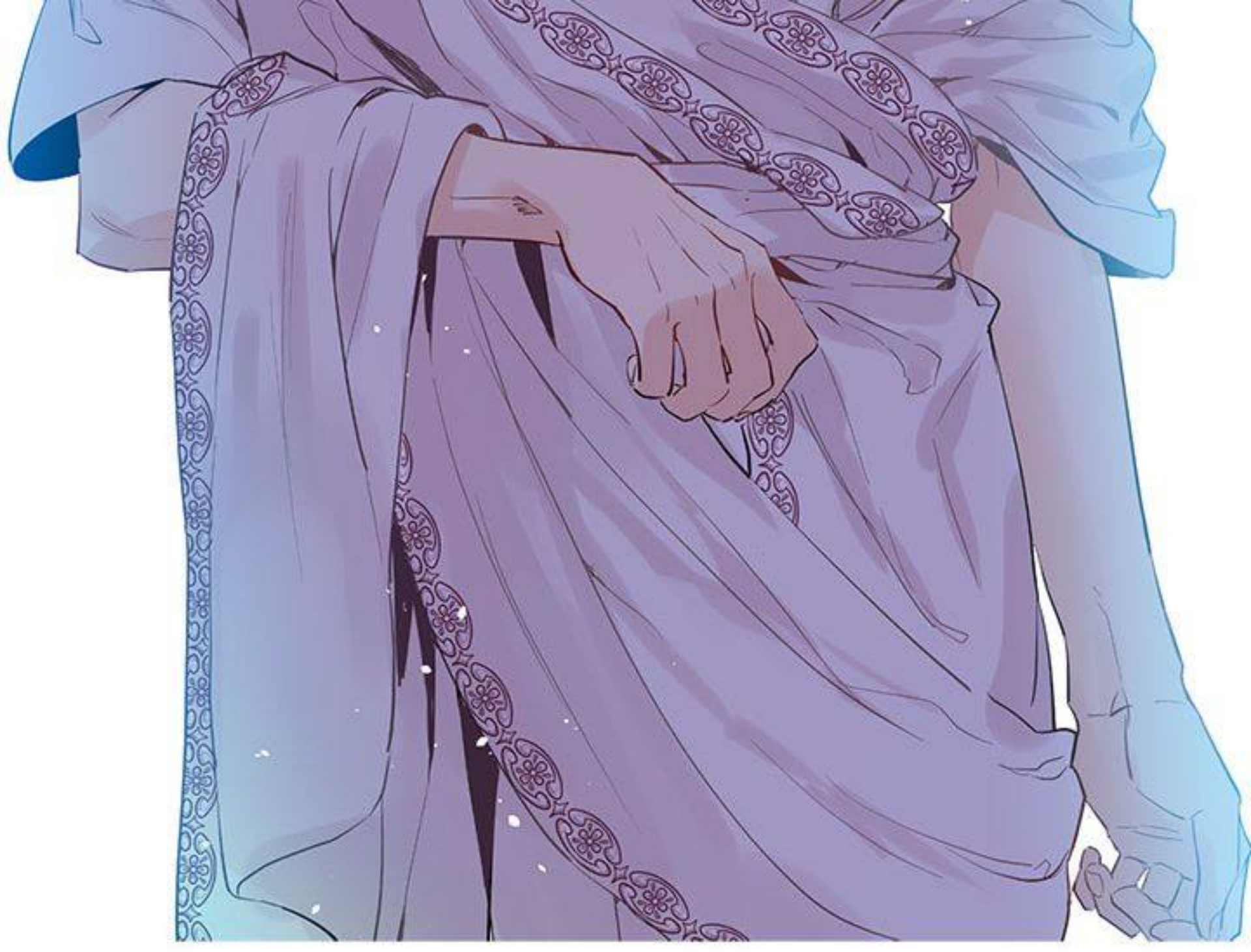
I'VE NEVER SEEN HIM  
IN THE FLESH BEFORE,

BUT HE MUST BE...

...CLAUDE DE  
ALGER OBELIA.



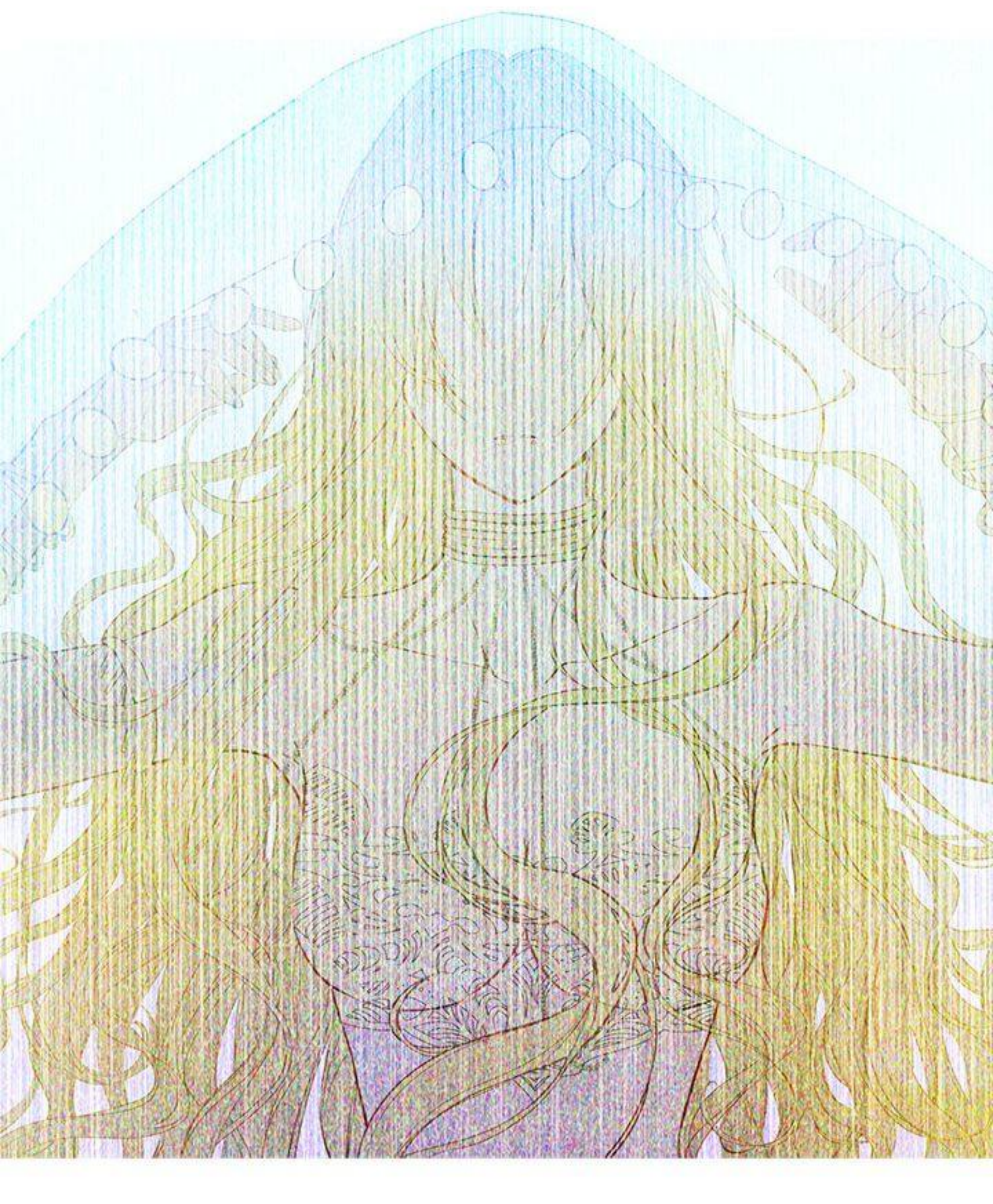





WHY...?



...YES.







WAS IT THAT  
DANCER FROM  
SIODONNA?

YOU LOOK  
LIKE THAT  
WENCH.



WHAT'S THIS GUY  
DOING HERE?!



I'M ONLY 5  
YEARS OLD,  
NOT 9!



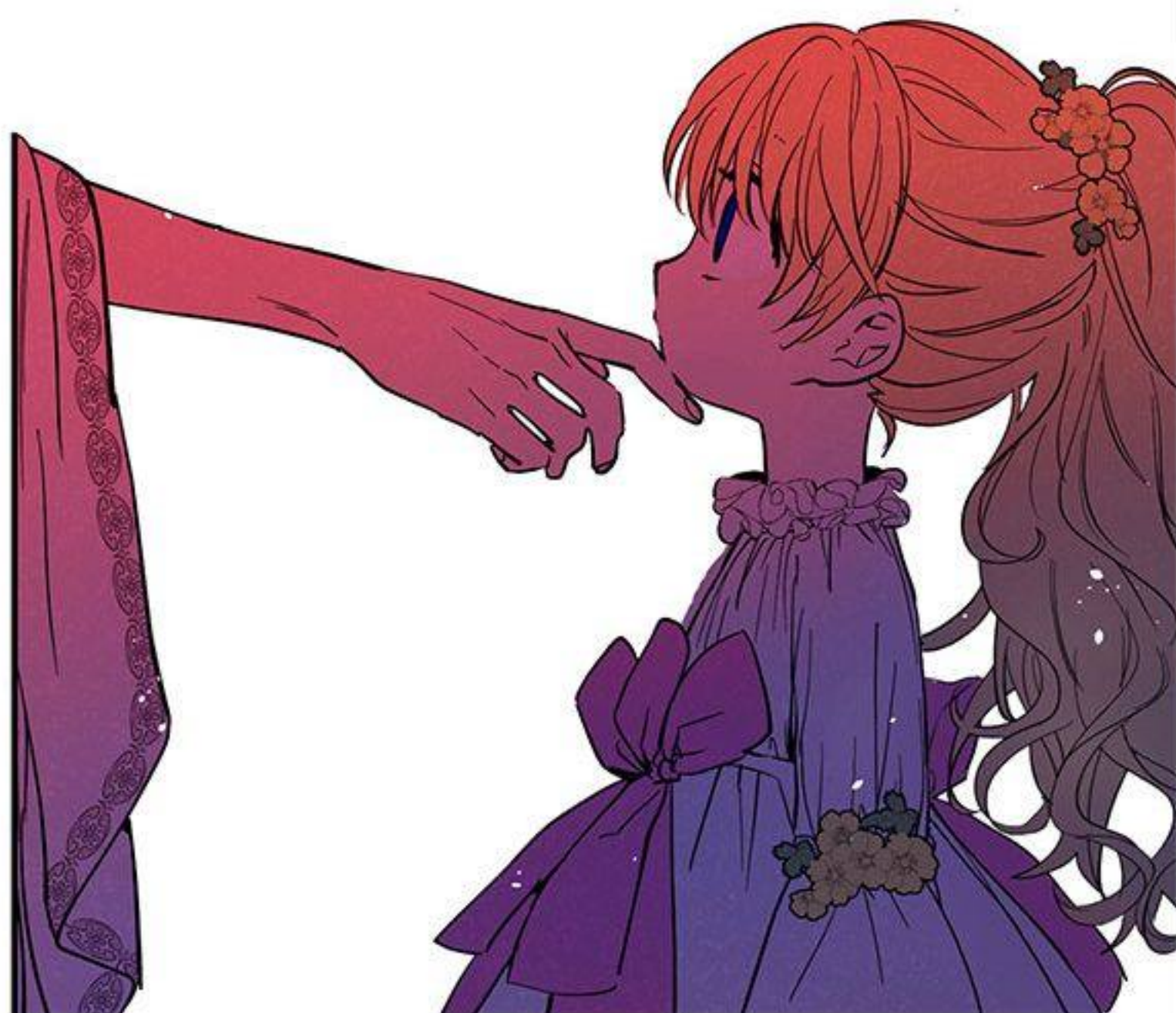




AND THIS ISN'T  
THE EMPEROR'S  
GARDEN EITHER!

THEN AGAIN,  
IT DOESN'T  
MATTER WHO  
SHE CAME  
FROM.

YOUR  
MAJESTY.



AND I THINK  
I REMEMBER...







...WHAT THAT  
WENCH  
NAMED YOU.

I BELIEVE IT  
WAS ATHANASIA.







BACK THEN,  
YOU WERE A  
TINY BUG  
THAT COULDN'T  
EVEN LIFT  
ITS HEAD.





NAME IS  
ATHANASIA?



IN THE  
OBELIAN EMPIRE, A  
NAME RELATED TO  
IMMORTALITY IS ONLY  
PERMITTED TO AN  
OFFICIAL HEIR TO  
THE THRONE.



AND IT CAN  
ONLY BE  
GRANTED BY  
THE EMPEROR  
HIMSELF.

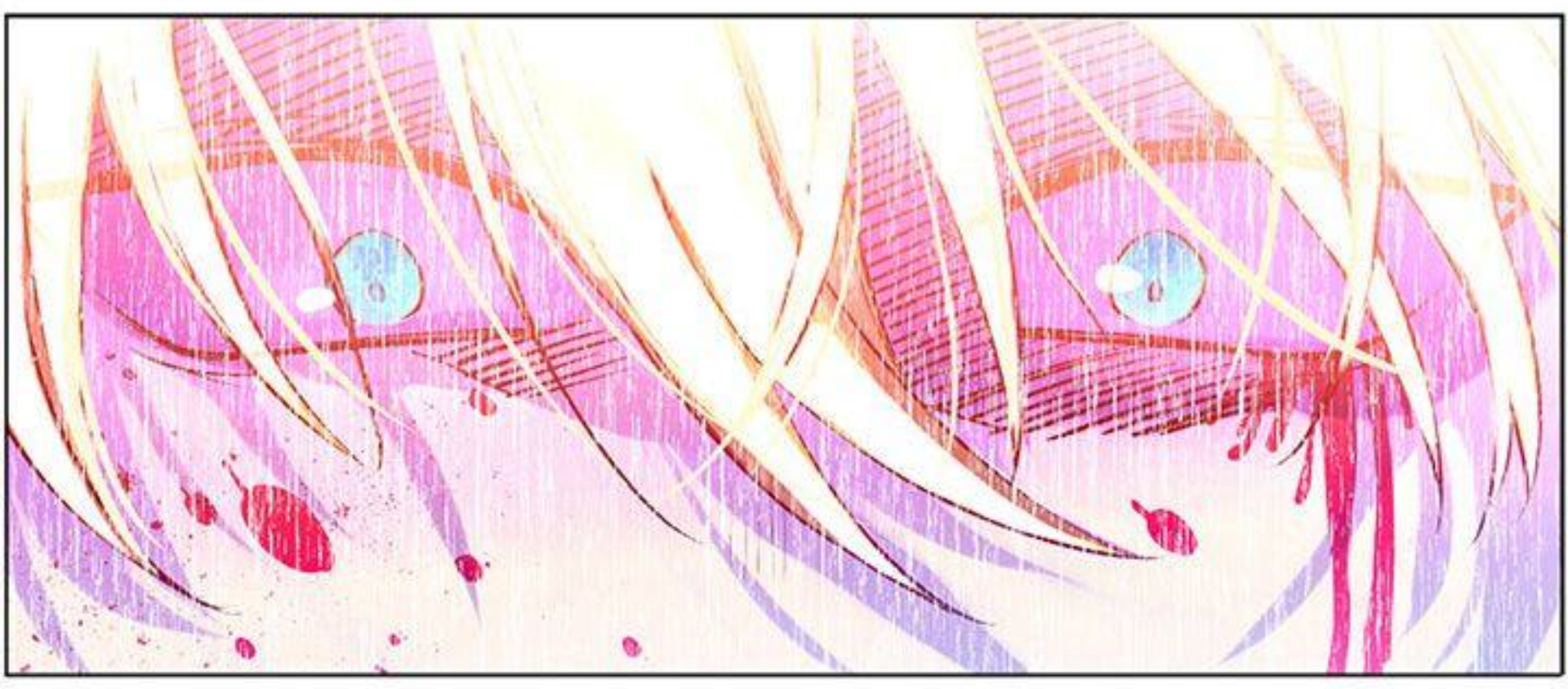


THE DAY OF THE  
RUBY PALACE  
MASSACRE,

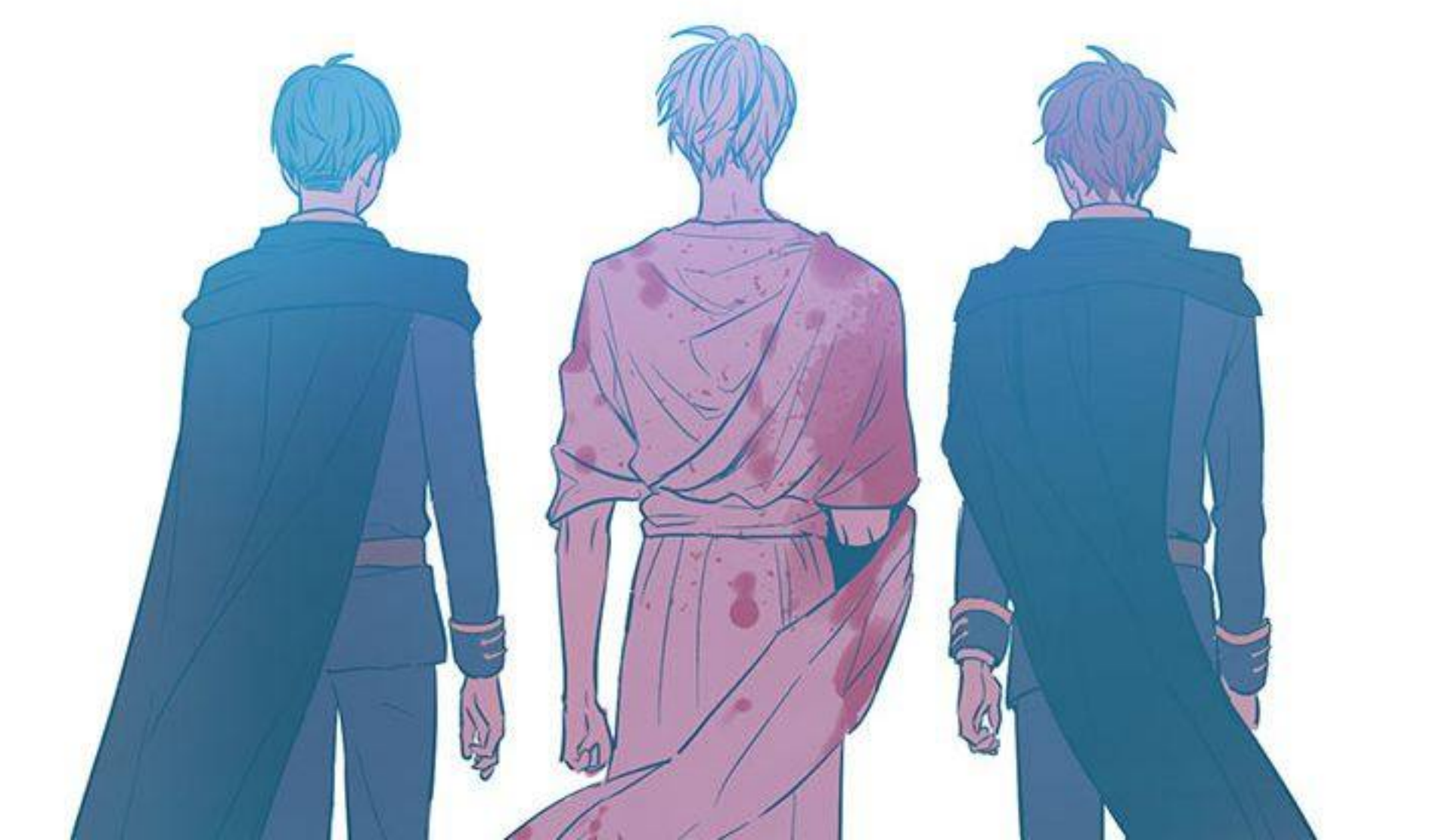
CLAUDE WAS PLANNING  
TO KILL ATHANASIA.

BUT THE HEIR'S  
NAME THAT  
DIANA GAVE HER  
DAUGHTER WAS,

AMUSING.



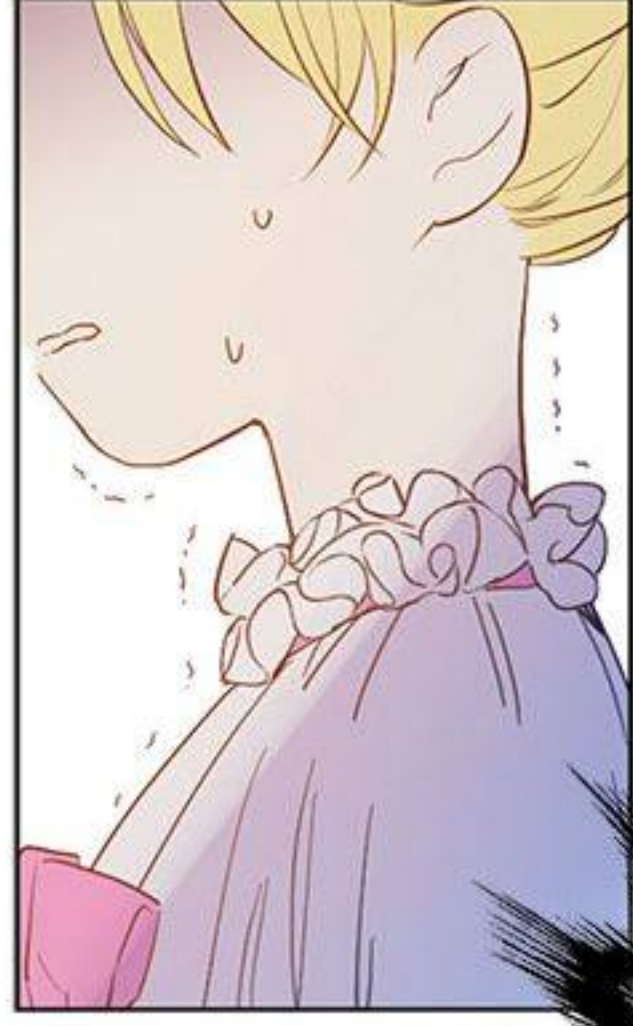
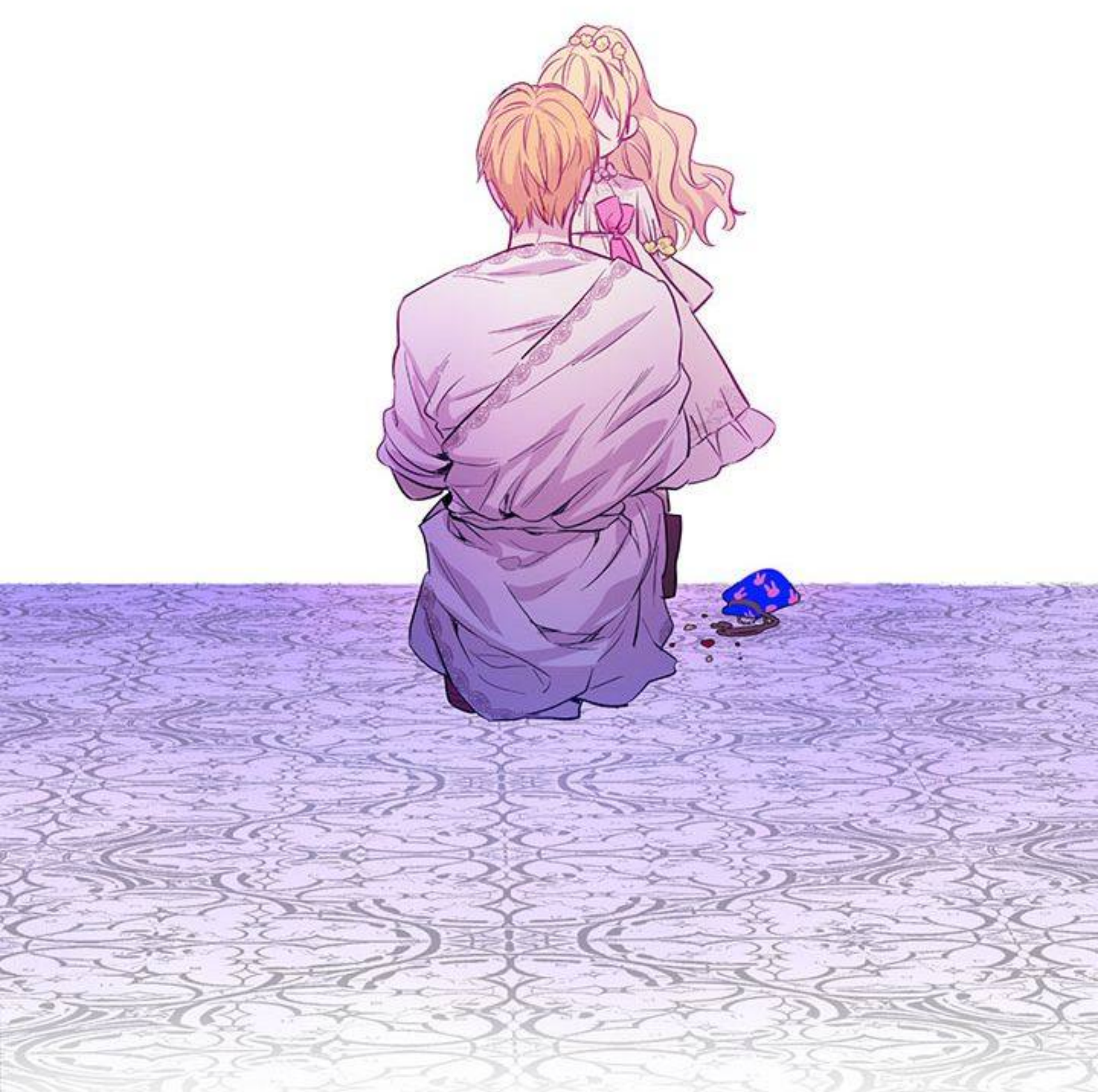
I WONDER  
HOW LONG  
THIS THING  
CAN LIVE IN  
ACCORDANCE  
TO ITS  
NAME.







YOU'VE  
GROWN A  
LOT.



GROWN A LOT?  
DOES THAT MEAN  
HE'LL KILL ME  
SINCE I'M



OLD ENOUGH?



TREMBLE

WHAT'S WITH THIS GUY? HE WAS WRITTEN TO IGNORE ATHANASIA!

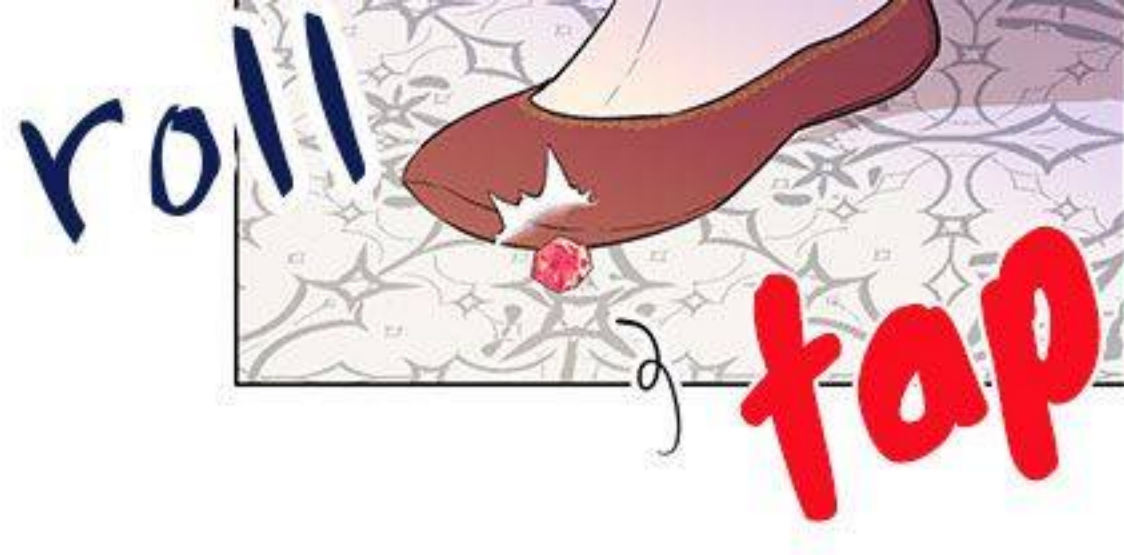
WHAT'S WITH THE ATTENTION...?

DROP

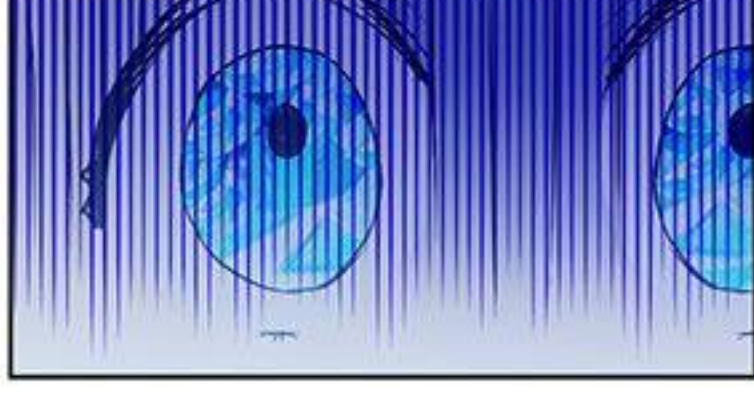
CLANK







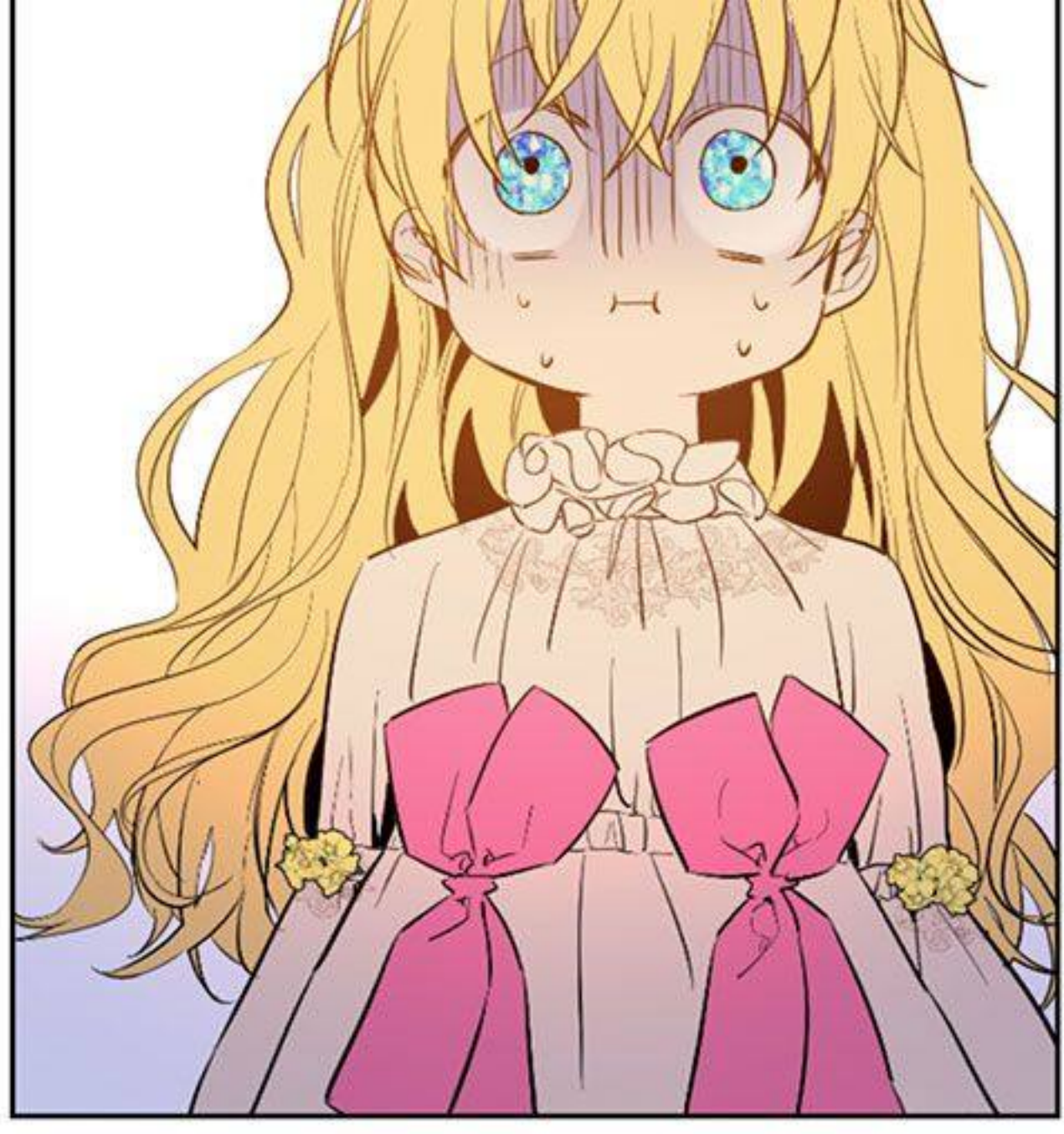
S, SHOOT.



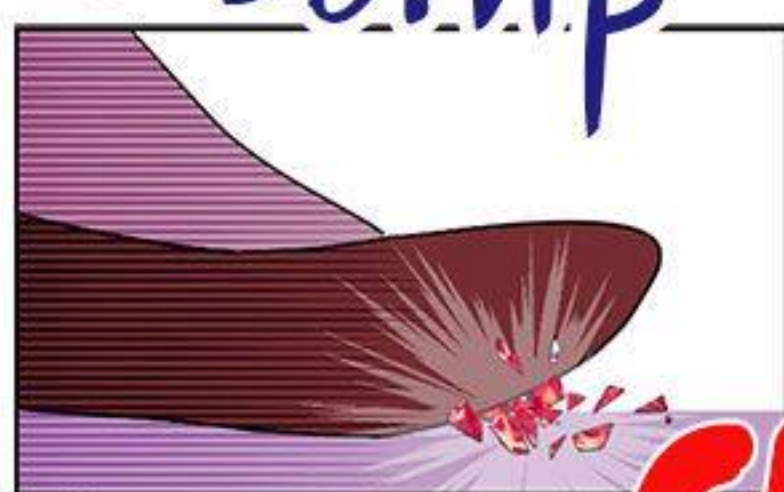
MY NO. 7 AND NO. 8  
BAGS OF RICHES...!







stomp



crack

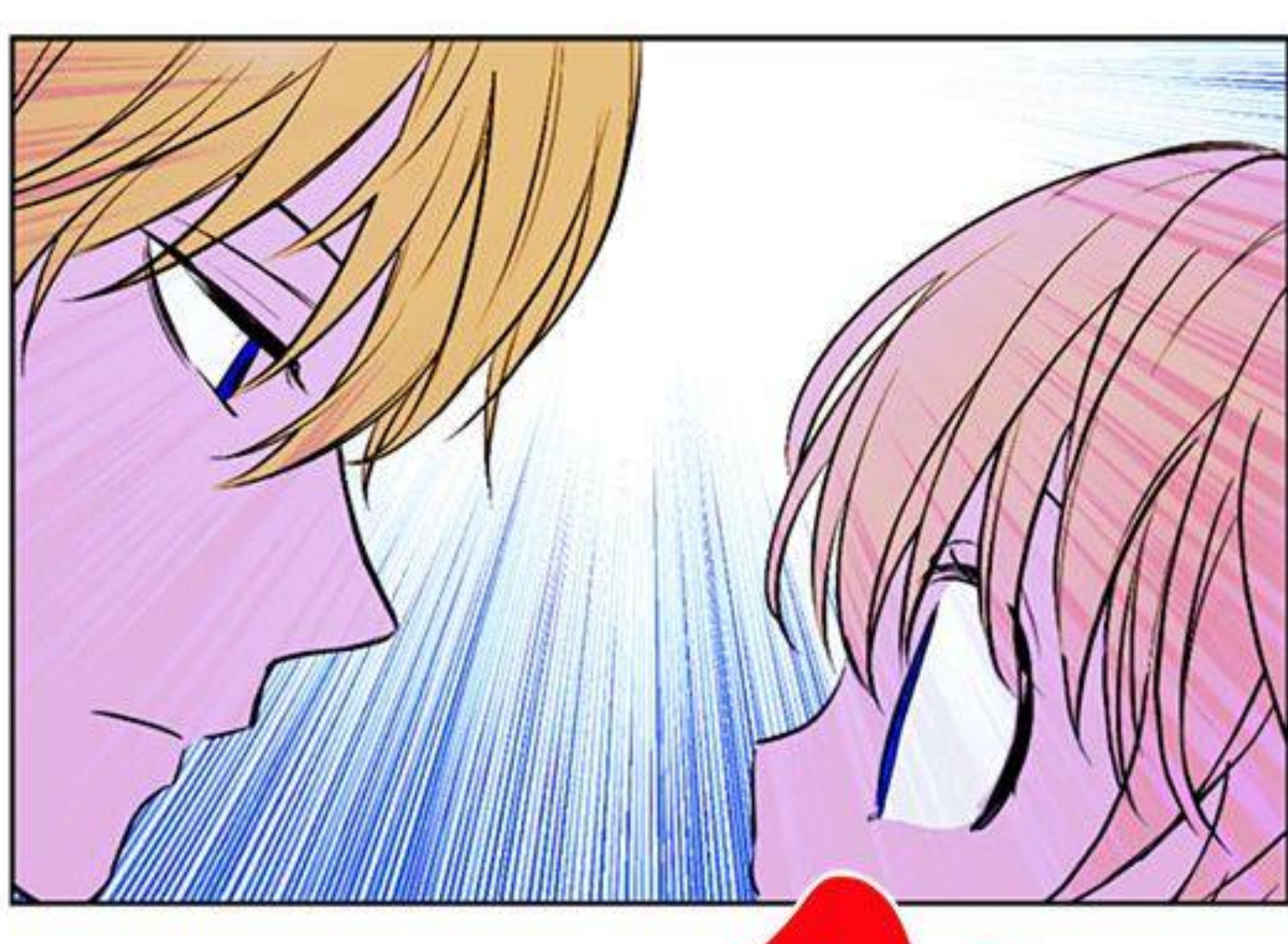


LIFT



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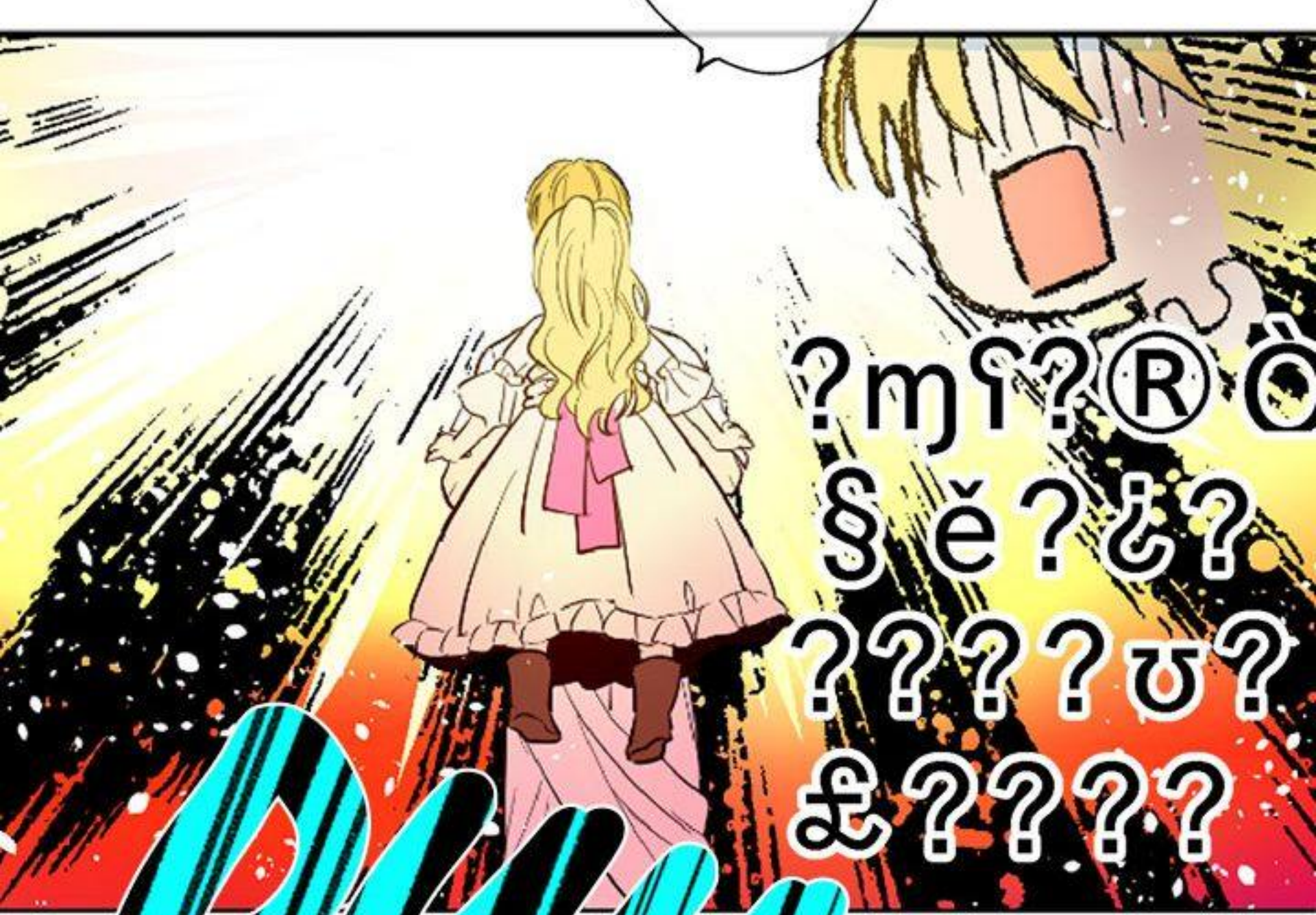


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!!!!!!

YOU'RE  
HEAVY.



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DWUN

WHA,  
WHAT ARE  
YOU....?

YOU HAVE REALLY  
CHUBBY CHEEKS,  
BUT I DIDN'T  
EXPECT YOU TO  
BE THIS HEAVY.



WHAAAT?!

CHUBBY??

HEAVY?!



I MEAN, AFTER  
IGNORING ME  
ALL THIS TIME  
WHY ARE YOU  
TALKING TO ME?

YOU'RE A COLD  
HEARTED BASTARD!

YOU'RE A DIRTBAG WHO  
ONLY LOVES JENNETTE  
AND DOESN'T CONSIDER  
ATHANASIA YOUR  
DAUGHTER!

NOW, WHAT  
WERE YOU  
DOING IN  
MY PALACE?

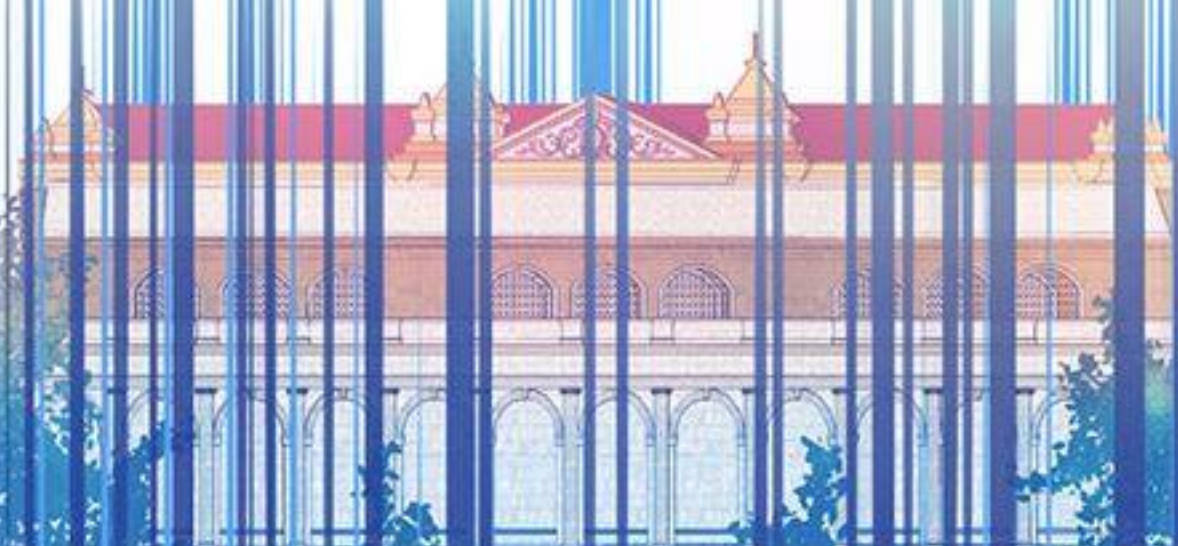


fwoosh





*"MY PALACE"?*



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